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†	ASSAM	3033	500	W. J. Webber	29th Nov.
B.L.	ORIENTAL	5045	1000	E. Stewart	6th Dec.
†	SIAM	3041	500	H. T. Weighell	13th "
B.L.	CLYDE	4138	800	J. L. Parfitt	20th "
†	ASSAM	3038	500	W. J. Webber	27th "
					1891.
B.L.	MIRZAPORE	3913	600	R. Harvey	3rd Jan.
†	SIAM	3041	500	H. T. Weighell	10th "
B.L.	THAMES	4113	800	W. A. Seaton	17th "
†	ASSAM	3038	500	W. J. Webber	24th "
B.L.	SUTLEJ	4305	800	W. D. Manchester	31st "
†	SIAM	3041	500	H. T. Weighell	7th Feb.
B.L.	PENINSULAR	5015	1000	A. C. Loggin	14th "
†	ASSAM	3038	500	W. J. Webber	21st "
B.L.	GANGES	4306	800	T. J. Alderton	28th "
†	SIAM	3041	500	H. T. Weighell	7th Mar.
B.L.	PESHAWAR	2927	600	W. A. Wheler	14th "
†	ASSAM	3038	500	W. J. Webber	21st "
B.L.	BENGAL	4499	800	A. B. Daniell	28th "
†	SIAM	3041	500	H. T. Weighell	4th Apr.
B.L.	ROSETTA	3325	700	E. Crewe	11th "
†	ASSAM	3038	500	W. J. Webber	18th "
B.L.	ORIENTAL	5045	1000	E. Stewart	25th "
†	SIAM	3041	500	H. T. Weighell	2nd May
B.L.	CLYDE	4138	800	J. L. Parfitt	9th "
†	ASSAM	3038	500	W. J. Webber	16th "

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ROME	5011	1000	A. W. Adamson .... 7th Apr.
PENINSULAR	5045	1000	A. C. Loggin .... 5th May

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Vessels.	Tons	H.P.	Captain.	About
PEKIN	3908	600	P. Harris	4th Dec.
GANGES	4306	800	T. J. Alderton	18th "
				1891.
PESHAWAR	2927	600	W. A. Wheler	1st Jan.
BENGAL	4499	800	A. B. Daniell	15th "
ROSETTA	3325	700	E. Crewe	29th "

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IMPERATOR	C. Bochtinger	4,000	750	1st Dec. '90
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	1st Class.	2nd Class.
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BOMBAY TO MARSEILLES.

Steamer.	Tons.	Captains.	To sail on
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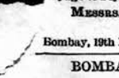

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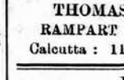

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BENGER'S SELF-DIGESTIVE FOOD	1	3
BRAND'S ESSENCE OF BEEF, 2 oz. tin. 1-4; 1lb. tin.	2	4
" " MUTTON, 2 oz. tin, Re. 1-8 "	2	12
" " CHICKEN, 2 oz. tin, Re. 1-12 "	3	4
" CONCENTRATED BEEF TEA ..... "	1	8
" MUTTON BROTH ..... "	2	4
" CHICKEN BROTH ..... "	3	12
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ISINGLASS, Russian, Fine cut ..... per oz.	0	14
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" " " } per doz.	7	0
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MELLIN'S FOOD ..... per bottle As. 14 and	1	8
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PEKOE FINEST in 2 " "		"	3 0
HYSON YOUNG (GREEN), 1 lb. pkt.		"	1 10
ORANGE PEKOE FINEST, 1 lb. pkt.		"	1 10
TREACHER'S OWN MIXTURE, 1 lb. pkt		"	1 0
TREACHER'S OWN MIXTURE, 2 "		"	2 0
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National Bank of India	37,320	£25	£12½	5 pr. ct.	160
New Oriental Bank	50,000	£10	all	6 pr. ct.	160

PRESS COMPANIES.

				Yearly.	
Akbar	200	1,250	1,250	7	1,050xd
Albert Ginning Co	100	500	all	18 pr. ct.	..
Albert (Kurrachee)	200	1,100	1,100	60	450
Apollo	750	2,400	2,400	Nil.	225
Bellary	167	1,000	1,000	Rs. 40	375
Bombay Cotton	1,000	125	125	20	107½
Bombay National Manfg. Co., Ld.	500	1,000	1,000	..	505
Breul's Cawnpore Press Co. Ld.	500	200	200	16	90
Colaba	500	1,880	1,880	45 dvd	361
East India	353	1,000	1,000	130	1,225
English Press and Manfg.	130	..	..	..	..
Fort	400	250	..	Rs. 20	180
French	515	8,500	8,500	150	1,050
Harvey and Sahagbai	300	500	all	20	510xd
Hemchandra Press Co., Ld.	450	450	300	30	450
Khanpur	730	100	all	..	165
Mahamadpura Cotton Co. and P. Co., Ld.	240	450	450	54	419
Mercantile	1,000	125	125	10	60xd
Mofussil Co	3,125	400	400	Rs. 40	432½
Mumbai M	1,000	250	all	Rs. 15	155
New Berar	1,200	500	500	45	535
New Indian	4,000	125	125	Rs. 10	95
Prince of Wales	600	500	500	40	365
Sabapathy(Bellary)	500	500	50	120	500
Season	300	500	500	2	500
Sind and Punjab Co.	100	1,000	1,000	25	1,175
Sind	600	2,000	750	50	510
Sorab Woollen Mills	..	250	250	..	210
Volkart	..	500	..	Rs. 30	670

MISCELLANEOUS.

				Last half-yearly.	
Alcock Ashdown	1,000	200	200	10	212½
Back Bay Baths	750	150	150	7½	160
Badhan Flour Mills	500	50	50	12	50
Bapty Bros.	5,000	100	100	12	90
Berar Oil Mills Co., Limited.	(6,625	200	185	18	40
Bombay Fire Insurance	1,250	100	All.	Nil.	100 nom
Bombay & Bushmah Trading Corporation	600	2,500	1,000	70	750
Do. New Issue	1,000	2,500	1,500	135	3,450
Bombay Ice Mfg. Co., Ld.	500	375	625	33½	385
Bombay Land and Building Co., Ld.	1,250	100	100	5	97
Bombay Steam Navigation Co	400	500	500	6 pr. ct.	630
Bombs, Flour Mill	1,000	500	500	Rs. 37½	815
Deccan Ice Co	1,170	100	100	4 pr. ct.	20
Deccan Paper Mills	1,000	50	500	Nil	400
Delhi and Northern India Flour Mills	1,500	200	200	Rs. 11	177½
Empire Fire Insurance	5,000	5,000	1,000	7½ pr. ct.	1,000
Geyer & Co., Ld.	500	100	70	..	70 nom
Indian Guarantee Security Ship Assn.	5,000	100	10	10 pr. ct.	11½
Indian Fire Insurance Co	250	4,000	1,000	90	1,100
John Noakes & Co	1,500	100	100	10 pr. ct.	75 exd
Kemp & Co	4,000	200	175	26½	235
Kurrachee Landing	500	500	300	30	80
Maharanee Ice Manufacturing Co.	3,500	100	100	Nil.	45
Marcks & Co., Ld.	4,000	100	100	Rs. 5	70
Napier Hotel Co	2,000	100	100	9 pr. ct.	50
Napier Foundry	1,000	100	200	..	60
Oriental Govt. Security Life Insurance	5,000	200	50	12 pr. ct.	180
Oriental Loan	5,000	20	20	8 pr. ct.	15
Phillips & Co., Ld.	4,000	100	100	7 pr. ct.	70
Port Canning Co.	6,000	1,0 0	1,000	20	362½
Prince of Wales Press	250	18,000	1,000	N dvd	1,800
Royal Flour Mills	2,500	100	100	..	63
Soundy & Co.	1,000	100	100	9	80
Southwell and Austin	1,000	100	100	..	70
Thacker and Co	2,000	500	all	85	980
Thacker & Co.	1,500	100	100	10	95
Telephone Co.	9,300	35	25	5-8	11½
Western India Flour	..	..	..	..	16

SPINNING AND WEAVING COMPANIES.

				Last half-yearly.	
Ahmedabad	600	1,000	1,000	90	1400
Alliance	1,500	1,000	all	30	470
Anglo-Indian	9,345	100	100	2	71
Bellary S & W Co. Ld. (Belgaum)	871	500	all	7 pr. ct.	660
Bombay United	900	1,000	1,000	25	660
Bombay Cotton Manfg Co	600	500	500	20	370 ex i
Central India	3,750	500	500	65	925
City of Bombay Mills	600	1,000	1,000	Rs. 40	885
Connaught Mills	600	500	500	Rs. 25	530
Colaba Land & Mill	4,000	700	700	20	600
Coorla Mills	800	1,000	1,000	Rs. 20	445
David Mill	1,400	500	500	Rs. 30	475
Dhun Mills	1,000	1,000	1,000	..	750
Empress	2,100	500	all	Rs. 25	525
Framjee Petit	1,250	1,000	1,000	15	165
Gordon Mills	2,500	1,000	1,000	Nil.	1,000
Hindustan	875	1,000	1,000	Rs. 50	790
Hingunghat Mill	700	500	500	40	660
Howard and Bullough	1,500	500	500	25	520
Hyderabad	900	1,000	1,000	Rs. 40	760
Imperial Cotton	900	500	500	..	350
Indian Manfg.	900	1,000	1,000	Rs. 50	875 xd
James Greaves	1,100	500	500	25	580
Jaffer Alli	600	500	500	Nil.	345
Jamshed Manufacturing Co.	1,600	250	250	10	225
Jeevraj Baloo Jeebhee Mills	1,000	1,000	1,000	20	800
Kaiser-i-Hind Co., Ld.	600	1,000	1,000	Rs. 20	550
Khandesh	750	1,000	1,000	30	615
Khangaum Manfg. Co.	400	250	250	Nil.	300 nom
Khatao Makanjee	1,000	1,000	1,000	40	560
Leopold	3,500	100	100	Rs. 10	175
Lakshmi Spinning & Weaving Co	1,000	1,000	1,000	35	840
Madras United	350	1,000	1,000	100	1,900 x i
Mahalaxmee	600	1,000	1,000	Nil.	335
Mahboob Shahi Mills (Gulburga)	2,400	500	500	pr. ct.	500 nom
Manockjee Petit	4,000	1,000	all	Rs. 50	1,172
Massoud	5,000	250	250	0	112
Morarji Gooculdas	1,050	1,000	1,000	70	1,570 x i
Maharaja Mysore S & M Co.	4,500	100	100	7 pr. ct.	105
National	500	1,000	1,000	Nil.	17
New Great Eastern	1,400	1,000	1,000	20	625
Oriental	5,725	625	625	10	370
People of India	1,000	250	250	Nil.	10
Presidency Mills Co. Ld.	743	1,000	1,000	35	1,040 x
Sassoon	1,500	1,000	1,000	25	1,400
Sholapore Mills	600	1,000	1,000	80	1,315
Soonderdas	750	1,000	1,000	Nil.	330
Southern India	1,000	500	500	Nil.	120
Southern Maharatta	11,312	250	250	12	265
Sun Mills, Ld.	11,300	250	250	Nil.	220
Star of India	1,000	1,000	1,000	40	540
Swadeshi Mills	2,000	500	500	..	390
Victoria Mills	550	1,000	1,000	24	360
Western India	1,200	1,000	1,000	Rs. 40	67
Queen Mills	750	1,000	1,000	Rs. 30	712½
Ripon Mills	600	1,000	1,000	Rs. 40	1,030
Lord Reay Mfg.	445	1,000	1,000	20	630

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Four per cent	103 7-16
Four-and-a-half per cent	109
Municipal 5 per cent. Debenture Loans	104½
New French Loan 5 pr. ct. 1872	260
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	Terms.		Rate.
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Do. Documents	3 Do.	do.	1s. 3 31-32d
Do. do.	6 Do.	do.	1s. 7 7-32d.
France	3 Do.	do.	1-09½
Do.	6 Do.	do.	2-02½
Calcutta	At sight		100 1-16
Do.	30 days	do.	101
Madras	At sight	do.	100½
Do. do.	30 days	do.	99 13-16
China	100 days	do.	217

China papers are at present much exercised about what is called the great audience question. The grievance is that foreign ministers are still forbidden to wait upon the Emperor in person. As long as the Emperor was a minor, and the reins of government were held by the Empress Dowager, there was some reason for this; but now that the Emperor has become the actual ruler, it is thought absurd that the representatives of great Powers should put up with the continued slight. At one time the foreign ministers were told that the country had not yet settled down from the rebellion, and that any innovation might cause trouble; but now the country is thoroughly settled. The Chinese, as a matter of course, resist all innovations, but in addition to this it is said that there are jealousies among the foreign ministers which prevent them from uniting to make any common demand.

BOMBAY.

TO-DAY.

Departure of English Mail per s. s. Assam, 2 p. m.
National Spinning and Weaving Company, 3-30 p.m.
Football H. M's. Brisk F. C. *vs.* Rovers' F. C., 4-30 p.m.
Framji Cowasjee Institute, Readings from "Shahanama," 8 p.m.
Balloon Ascent by Hajee Hoosein Aga Ali, Chinchpoogly, 4 p.m.
Music on the Esplanade, 5-30 p.m.
Columbia Skating Rink, Grand Fencing Tournament.
Indian Circus.

VESSEL ARRIVED.—The steamer Pemba arrived yesterday from Busreh.

VESSELS SAILED.—The following vessels sailed yesterday:—Lindula (s) and Nadir (s), for Calcutta, &c.; and Roma (s), Karachi.

SAINT THOMAS' CATHEDRAL.—The Bishop of Bombay will preach in the Cathedral to-morrow evening.

THE RINK.—We would draw the attention of our readers to the evening tournament for the Championship of Bombay to come off to-night, the prize being a season ticket.

DEPARTURE OF A NATIVE CHIEF.—H. H. the Rajah of Naungaum, who has been in Bombay, since the 9th instant, returned to his State by train yesterday morning.

READINGS FROM FIRDOUSI'S "SHAHANAMA."—Mr. Muncherjee Manaukh will give the fifth reading from the "Shahanama," at the Framjee Cowasjee Institute, this evening at 8 p.m.

POSTAL NOTICE.—With effect from the 1st December, 1890, the charges on Foreign Money Orders and British Postal Orders will be regulated by Schedule 26 *viz.*, 1*s.* 5½*d.* per rupee.

REPORTED BURGLARY.—A Hindu, named Govind Puray, living in Bnoiwada 1st Lane, reports that his house was broken into, and Rs. 180 in cash and a piece of silver, valued at Rs. 4-4, stolen therefrom.

B. B. & C. I. RAILWAY.—The goods traffic on the B. B. & C. I. Railway for the week ending 8th November, 1890, shows an increase on the corresponding week of 1889 of 23,930 maunds, and Rs. 3,973 in the earnings.

THE VAIDYA MANDAL.—At a meeting of the above Mandal which will be held to-morrow, in the Vaidya Prabhuram Jivanram Aushadalaya at 5 p. m., lecture will be delivered by Dr. Anna moreshvar a Kunte, M.D., on "Sushruta sharir." All medical men are cordially invited.

DATURA POISONING.—A Hindu cloth-labourer, named Sewramjee, aged 40 years, was conveyed by his friends to the Goculdas Hospital on Thursday night, in a very excited and delirious condition. The pupils were dilated, and symptoms of poisoning were apparent. The patient cannot account for the poison.

THE GREAT INDIAN CIRCUS.—This troupe, according to announcement, had commenced packing up for a trip to Poona, but on the return of Mr. Singa, the managing proprietor, from that station whether he had gone to prepare a suitable site, &c., several native gentlemen urged him to give them a few more performances, in consequence of which request the company will continue to perform for a few nights more.

H. M.'S BRISK F. C. *vs.* ROVERS' F. C.—Two teams from the above clubs will play under the Association Football Rules at 4-30 this evening, on the Cooperage. The following will represent the Rovers':—Colors Blue and white; goal, H. Forde; backs, H. Watson and L. Crowley; half-back, A. R. Sharpe, C. W. Lauder, and G. W. Claridge; and forwards A. Brown, J. Allan, C. Brown (captain), D. Bowie, and T. DeG. Derry. Chairs will be provided for ladies.

MUSIC AT THE ESPLANADE BANDSTAND.—The Band of the G. I. P. Railway Volunteers, will play the following programme at the Esplanade Bandstand, at 5-30 p.m.

March.....After many roving years. T. Connor.
Overture.....Le Roi Dyvetot .....Adam.
Valse .....Fairy Voices .....Gung'l.
Selection.....La Traviata.....Verdi.
Valse .....Fairy Voices .....Crove.
Polka .....Louis D'Or .....Schroeder.
GOD SAVE THE QUEEN.

THE NAPIER HOTEL.—The following is a list of residents at present staying at the Napier Hotel at Poona:—Sir Tatton and Lady Sykes, Colonel J. K. Jopp, R.E., Surgeon-Major S. J. Thompson, Dr. Buckmaster, Mr. and Mrs. Nelson, the Governor of Damaun, Major and Mrs. Lyster, Capt. and Mrs. Swann, Capt. and Mrs. Thandor, Dr. A. Barclay, Major E. Braithwaite, Rev. Fr. C. F. R. Pocas, Mr. H. S. Woodward, Mrs. Goulding, Miss Phillips, Miss A. G. Walters, Mr. F. B. O'Shea, Dr. B. S. Rake, Mr. A. E. Panet, R.E., Mr. B. Kaliske, Mr. and Mrs. Fryer, Mr. J. J. R. Mairling, Mr. C. Vernon, Dr. A. A. Kanthack, Miss Wallace, Mr. Beresford, and Mrs. Hight.

WARNING TO TRESPASSERS ON THE RAILWAY.—At the Girgaum Police Court yesterday, before Mr. Hamilton Mumin Hassan Mahomed, head constable of the B. B. & C. I. Railway, at the instance of Mr. J. R. Duxbury, the General Traffic Manager, preferred a charge of criminal trespass on the railway line, and also of assault against two Europeans. It would appear that while at a picnic they walked along the railway line from Mahim to Bandora, and on being remonstrated with by the gatekeeper at the Mahim level-crossing assaulted him. The accused had however, it was explained, come to a settlement with the Traffic Manager, who instructed the chief head constable to withdraw the charge, which being done the matter dropped.

SERIOUS MILL ACCIDENTS.—A Hindu boy, of twelve years, named Biku Santa, met with a serious accident, at a house standing in Parel Road, on Sunday. He was at his usual employment, when by some means his right arm was caught in the machinery and crushed. On being extricated the limb was found to be fractured in three parts. A policeman being sent for the injured youth was removed to the J. J. Hospital.—Another accident of a serious nature occurred yesterday, at the Bandora Cotton Mill. Dowraj Ganesh, a mill-hand, was caught in the belting of some machinery, and was so severely injured that he had to be removed to the J. J. Hospital. On being examined his right arm was found to be so badly crushed, as to necessitate its amputation.

AN ACTION TO RECOVER MONEY DUE.—At the Small Cause Court yesterday, before Mr. W. E. Hart, the Chief Judge, Mr. Sorabji appeared for a Marwaree, named Mangleshand Purshadas, who preferred an action against Mahomed Ali Esmail, represented by Mr. Roughton, for the recovery of Rs. 1,250, being the balance due on a hoondee, dated the 9th of May last, for Rs. 2,500, of which Rs. 1,000 was paid up according to stipulation, which limited payment to 61 days. On the 15th ultimo, the attorney for the defendant appeared and sought postponement which was granted; and in the meantime the defendant offered certain terms of settlement, which were not accepted by the plaintiff in whose favour his Honour passed a decree for the amount due, plus professional costs.

AN ENCOUNTER WITH A TIGER.—A correspondent sends the following story, which we give in all its native simplicity:—"The other day, a Parsee youth, named Cowashaw Nowrosji Modi, who is an ardent sportsman, went a bear-hunting, in the ravines of Mount Abu, towards Anadra side. He had not long to wait, when he found himself face to face with a huge tiger, hiding nimbly behind a convenient bush. The monarch of the forest fixed his glittering eyes upon the sportsman, and made straight for him. While anxiously watching the tiger's progress Mr. Cowashaw with characteristic pluck and presence of mind waited till the animal was within about 10 yards and then fired with the result that he dropped dead. (Query: The tiger or the youth?) The shot passed through his head and shattered his lungs and heart. The tiger measured after being killed 9 feet and 2 inches."

CALENDAR.—NOVEMBER & DECEMBER 1890.

PHASES OF THE MOON.

Last Quarter, Dec. 4th ..... 6h 17m p.m.
New Moon, „ 12th ..... 8h 2m a.m.
First Quarter, „ 19th ..... 1h 27m a.m.
Full Moon, „ 26th ..... 10h 48m a.m.

Days.	Engagements, &c.	Sun-rises.	Sun-sets.	High Water.	Low Water.
		H. M.	H. M.	H. M.	H. M.
Sat. 29	National S and W Co., Meeting, 3-30 p.m. Balloon Ascent by Hajee Hoosein Aga Ali, Chinchpoogly, 4 p.m. Departure of the English Mail per s. s. Assam.	6 16	5 21	0 36m 0 39 a	7 1m 6 38 a
Sun. 30	1st Sunday in Advent English Mail expected per s. s. Pekin.*	6 17	5 21	1 33m 1 16 a	7 42m 7 9 a
Dec. Mon. 1	Municipal Corporation, 3 p.m. Bombay Sunday School Union, Y. M. C. A. Rooms, 5-30 p.m.	6 17	5 21	2 10m 1 54 a	8 26m 7 40 a
Tues. 2	Bombay Sunday School Union, M. E. Church, 8 p.m.	6 18	5 21	2 49m 2 34 a	9 14m 8 14 a
Wed. 3	Bombay Sunday School Union, St. Andrew's Kirk, 7-30 a.m. Indian Temperance Association, Money School, Dr. Alexander on "Climate and Stimulants," 5-30 p.m. Mass Meeting of all Native Sunday Schools, 10 am and 2 p.m. Mass Meeting of all English Schools, Town Hall, 4-30 p.m. Exposition of the body of St. Francis Xavier, Goa. Municipal Standing Committee, 3 p.m.	6 18	5 21	3 30m 3 19 a	10 12m 8 53 a
Thr. 4	Municipal Corporation 3 p.m.	6 19	5 21	4 13m 4 26 a	11 16m 9 46 a
Fri. 5	.....	6 20	5 22	5 1m 5 47a	0 16m 11 14 a

* Left Aden on Tuesday at 6 a.m.

A CHINESE vernacular paper of Hong-Kong writes:—"The gentry of Sinaing have petitioned the magistrate to put a stop to the practice parents of marriageable daughters have there of demanding over tls. 100 and other presents before they will allow their girls to marry. It is all very well in the case of old gentlemen coming back from America or Australia with fortunes and wanting to settle down; but the youthful natives who don't go abroad find it impossible to scrape up so much money, and are forced to live a bachelor life."

THE BOMBAY PRESIDENCY RIFLE ASSOCIATION.

CENTRAL MEETING.

(FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.)
POONA, Nov. 27.

THE following matches were also completed yesterday:—

MATCH LIII.—THE MERCHANTS' PRIZES.

Open to British Army. Entrance Rs. 1-8; Distances 200 yards standing or kneeling, and 500 yards lying down. The scores in this match at 200 yards count towards H. E. the Viceroy's medals.

	200 yds.	500 pts.	Total.
Col-Sgt Mawhood, Poona Vols	29	33	62
Sgt-Dr P A McKenna, 2nd L F	32	30	62
Col-Sgt Gidney, G I P R Vols	27	34	61
Pte Farmer, Roy Fus	31	30	61
Pte Carman, 2nd Roy Lan Regt	29	31	60

MATCH LXVIII.—THE KOLHAPUR CUP.
(Celerity and Precision.)

Rs. 100 presented by H. H. the Rajah of Kolhapur and Rs. 100 added. Distance 200 yards. Position any military. Entrance Rs. 1 for officers, all others annas 12. 1st prize a Cup, value Rs. 80; 2nd, Rs. 40; 3rd, Rs. 20; 4th, 5th, 6th, 7th, 8th, Rs. 8 each; 9th, 10th, 11th, 12th, and 13th Rs. 4 each.

	Points.
Hav Sk Abdul Kadir, 9th Bo Inf	43
Naik Tarajrao Shende, 23rd Bo Inf	40
Hav Ambaji Mentar, 5th Bo Inf	40
Pte Rahiman Khan, 26th Bo Inf	39
Pte Sanjat Sing, 17th Bo Inf	38
Pte Daji Sagwan, 3rd Bo Lt Inf	37
Pte Ganpat Sawant, 5th Bo Inf	36
Naik Manaji Navri, 26th Bo Inf	36
Lce-Naik Shaik Alfo, 7th Bo Inf	35
Sub Shaik ahbub, 23rd Bo Inf	35
Hav David Samuel, 22nd Bo Inf	33
Naik Shaik Adam, 7th Bo Inf	33
Naik Shaik Imam, 9th Bo Inf	33

MATCH VIII.—THE CZAREWITCH.

	Points	Rs.
Lce-Corpl De Bathe, 18th Hussars	34	40
Vol Soares, B B & C I R Vols	33	25
Sergt Kees, Bom Vols	33	15
Col-Sergt Hooper, 2nd Gloster Regt	32	10
Lce-Corpl Cutler, G I P R Vols	32	5
Pte Jones, 2nd Gloster Regt	32	5
Pte Kitchen, Roy Lan Regt	32	4
Corpl Warren, 18th Hussars	32	4
Sergt Edwards, 18th Hussars	32	4
Col-Sergt Fraser, 1st Worc Regt	32	4
Col-Sergt Griffiths, 2nd Lan Fus	31	4
Vol J Hudson, Poona Vols	31	4
Vol Charlesworth, Sind Vols	31	4
Sergt-Instr Rooke, Sind Vols	31	4
Pte Williams, 2nd Lan Fus	31	4
Drumr Foster, 2nd Lan Fus	31	4
Sergt Hogan, 2nd Lan Fus	31	4
Sergt-Maj Murray, 2nd Lan Fus	31	4
Pte McGuire, Lan Fus	31	4
Lce-Corpl McMullin, Loy N Lan Regt	31	4
Vol Maniss, N W R Vols	31	4
Sergt Kellett, Roy Lan Regt	31	4
Lce-Corpl Critchell, Sind Vols	31	4
Pte Garland, 2nd Gloster Regt	31	4
Pte Pococke, Royal Fusiliers	31	4
Sergt D Clabby, Poona Vols	31	4
Sergt-Maj Dawe, Poona Vols	31	4

MATCH IX.—THE B. P. R. A. BRONZE MEDAL.
(200 Yards.)

	Points.	Rs.
Lce-Corpl Russell, Roy Fus	31	25
Lce-Corpl King, Roy Fus	30	15
Lce-Corpl Price, Roy Dub Fus	30	15
Pte Brennan, Roy Dub Fus	30	10
Capt Tickner, N W R Vols	30	10
Major Lyster, 16th Bom Inf	29	5
Pte Farmer, Roy Fus	29	5
Vol Charlesworth, N W R Vols	29	5
Col-Sergt Kelley, Loy N Lan Regt	29	4
Pte Higgs, Roy Fusiliers	28	4
Colonel Carrington, Worc Regt	28	4
Corpl Clarkson, Roy Lan Regt	28	4
Sergt G Mann, Worc Regt	28	4
Lce-Corpl Middleton, Roy Lan Regt	28	4
Lce-Sergt Conyers, B B & C I R Vols	28	4
Sergt Smith, N W R Vols	28	4

Four 28s counted out. 210 entries. Rs. 32 extra prizes.

300 Yards.

	Points	Rs.
Lce-Corpl King, Roy Fusiliers	32	25
Pte Irvine, Roy Lan Regt	30	15
Lce-Corpl Fernandez, B B & C I Vols	30	10
Pte Hussey, Roy Lan Regt	30	10
Pte Farmer, Royal Fusiliers	29	5
Drumr J Fos er, Lan Fusiliers	29	5
Co-Sergt Whitty, Worc Regt	29	5
Sergt Osborne, G I P R Vols	29	5
Corpl Salisbury, Roy Lan Regt	29	5
Pte Roberts, Roy Fusiliers	28	4
Vol Clarke, Poona Vols	28	4
Pte Brennan, Roy Dub Fus	28	4
Vol Blewith, G I P R Vols	28	4
Pte James, Lance Fusiliers	28	4
Sergt-Dr McKenna, Lanc Fusiliers	28	4
Sergt G Mann, Worc Regt	28	4

201 entries. Rs. 28, extra prizes.

500 Yards.

	Points	Rs.
Lieut Stack, 3rd Bo Cav	35	25
Corpl Clarkson, Roy Lan Regt	34	15
Capt Tickner, N W R Vols	34	15
Vol Charlesworth, N W R Vols	33	10
Col-Sergt Green, N W R Vols	33	10
Pte Higgs, Royal Fusiliers	33	5
Sergt Scudina, Lan Fusiliers	33	5
Pte Madrey, Lan Fusiliers	32	5
Sergt Kellett, Roy Lan Regt	32	4
Lce-Corpl Scott, Roy Lan Regt	32	4
Col-Sergt Whitty, Worc Regt	32	4
Pte White, Lan Fusiliers	31	4
„ Thompson, Lan Fusiliers	31	4
Lce-Corpl Critchell, N W R Vols	31	4
Pte Wood, Roy Lan Regt	31	4
„ Pocock, Royal Fusiliers	31	4

Two 31s counted out. 201 entries. Rs. 28, extra prizes.

600 Yards.

	Points.	Rs.
Sergt Kellett, Lan Regt	31	25
Pte Brodey, 2nd Glou Regt	31	15
Lce-Corpl King, Roy Fusiliers	30	10
Lce-Sergt Adsnead, Loy N Lan Regt	30	10
Pte Hedgcock, Worc Regiment	30	10
Sergt G Mann, Worc Regt	30	5
Col-Sergt Green, N W R Vols	29	5
Pte White, Lan Fusiliers	29	5
Sergt Hogan, Lan Fusiliers	29	5
Pte Pocock, Royal Fusiliers	29	4
Sergt Whitty, Worc Regt	29	4
Pte Jones, Worc Regt Regt	29	4
„ McCarthy, Lan Fus	28	4
„ Mitchell, Worc Regt	28	4
Corpl Clarkson, Roy Lan Regt	28	4
Col-Sergt Kelly, Loy N Lan Regt	28	4

Nine 28s counted out.

700 Yards.

	Points.	Rs.
Lce-Corpl Critchell, Sind Vols	34	25
Major Lyster, 16th Bo Inf	33	15
Vol Officer, N W R Vols	33	15
Pte Skinner, 2nd Glouc Regt	33	10
Col-Sergt Green, N W R Vols	33	10
Lce-Corpl McMullin, Loy N Lan Regt	32	5
Lce-Corpl Fernandez, B B and C I R Vols	32	5
„ „ Lane, G I P R Vols	32	5
Col-Sergt Browne, Poona Vols	32	5
Lieut Turner, 16th Bo Inf	32	4
Corpl Pite, Roy Lan Regt	31	4
Col-Sergt Trevelyan, Glouc Regt	31	4
Sergt Baker, Worc Regt	31	4
Col-Sergt Kelly, Loy North Lane Regt	31	4
„ „ Kitchen, Roy Lan Regt	31	4
Capt Tickner, N W R Vols	31	4

One 31 counted out.

800 Yards.

	Points.	Rs.
Lce-Corpl Critchell, N W R Vols	33	25
Major Lyster, 16th Bo Inf	32	15
Col-Sergt Waitsy, Worc Regt	31	15
Sergt May Barlow, 72d Fiecd Bat R A	31	10
Sergt Griffiths, Lan Fusiliers	30	10
Lce-Corpl Isitt, G I P R Vols	30	5
Sergt-Dr Wingrove, Loy N Lan Regt	30	5
Sergt Maj Murray, Lan Fus	30	5
Pte Banks, Middlesex Regt	29	4
Vol Officer, N W R Vols	29	4
Col-Sergt Gidney, G I P R Vols	29	4
Sergt-Instr Rooker, Sind Vols	29	4
Corpl Ryan, Middlesex Regt	29	4
Corpl Turner, Roy Fusiliers	29	4
Lieut Mead, 16th Bo Inf	29	4
Pte Beaty, Loy N Lan Regt	28	4

Five 28s counted out.

900 Yards.

	Points.	Rs.
Pte Hambridge, Middlesex Regt	31	25
Pte White, Lan Fusiliers	30	15
Vol Officer, N W R Vols	29	15
Sergt Wade, Roy Lan Regt	29	10
Lce-Corpl Treadwell, L N Lan Regt	29	10
Drumr Norris, Royal Fusiliers	28	5
Col-Sergt Gidney, G I P R Vols	28	5
Lce-Corpl Woldridge, Roy Fus	28	5
Pte Cadd, Roy Lan Regt	28	5
Lce-Sergt Hill, G I P R Vols	27	4
Lce-Corpl Cook, Lan Fus	27	4
Col-Sergt Green, N W R Vols	27	4
Sergt Osborne, G I P R Vols	27	4
Pte Meek, L N Lan Regt	27	4
„ Farmer, Roy Fus	26	4
„ Cotton, Loy N Lan Regt	26	4

Three 26s counted out.

WINNER OF THE B. P. R. A. BRONZE MEDAL.
Major Lyster, 16th Bo Inf ..... 202 points.

POONA, Nov. 28.

MATCH XLVII.—THE NATIONAL SILVER MEDAL CONTEST.

To be competed for by the best fifty men in the aggregate of Matches XIII, XIV, and

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S. W. EDGERLEY,
Private Secretary to His Excellency the Governor of Bombay.
Ganeshkhind, 26th November 1890.

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COMMERCIAL INTELLIGENCE

BOMBAY MARKET REPORT.

FRIDAY EVENING, NOVEMBER 28.

THE greater activity in the principal branch of our Export trade, which we noticed a week ago, has not meantime been sustained, nor has there been much doing in the other leading lines of Wheat and Seeds ; and it now looks as though things would remain quiet until after the turn of the year. Rates of Exchange have fluctuated somewhat, but there has latterly been a strong, upward movement, and our quotations this evening are 11-16d. higher for Bank Demand Bills, and ¼d. for three months' sight Credits than those ruling a week ago ; though with a weaker feeling at the close Government Paper has advanced a half per cent. in Fours. Freights have been weak, with little enquiry per tonnage in any position, and close dull with nothing doing. With the renewed upward course of Exchange the Import market has become quieter, and business has been upon a much smaller scale than was the case last week.

MONEY has continued to be very abundant ; and the Presidency Bank's Statement of Affairs issued on Monday showed that the Cash Balance had reached 933½ lakhs at the close of last week, making an increase of some 33½ lakhs since the date of the previous return. Apart from some increase of activity in Cotton after the *Diwali*, which afterwards subsided, business in Exports has continued quiet ; and the new crop of that staple is coming to market at a much slower rate than was the case at this time last season. In the items of the Bank return, which go to show the state of the trade demand, the only one which indicates an increase in that direction, is Bills Discounted, which had increased by 11¾ lakhs ; but, on the other hand, there had been a very large addition to Private Deposits, while Loans had decreased by nearly 8 lakhs, the net diminution of trade requirements being represented by 32½ lakhs. Under these circumstances, which had not altered materially meantime, the Board made an alteration in their rates at the weekly meeting yesterday, and the minimum remains at 3 per cent. per annum.

EXCHANGE was unsettled on opening on last Mail day, and a few Merchants' Bills were placed, for this month's delivery, at 1s. 6¾d. and 1s. 6 9-16d. for three months' sight Credits ; but the feeling soon became firm, and remained so to the close, an advance of 1-16 to ¼d. on the past quotations having been established. At closing Bank Demand Bills were quoted at 1s.·6 3-16d. for January, and Credits at 1s. 7d. for January-February delivery. On Monday, in presence of a considerably higher quotation for Silver, wired from New York, was firm at opening, with Bank Demand quoted at 1s. 6d. and three months' sight Credits, at 1s. 6 11-16 to ¾d. ; and on Calcutta quotations being received, rates here soon advanced to 1s. 6¾d., and afterwards to 1s. 6¾d. for Bank demand, the buying rate, however, remaining unchanged at 1s. 6¾d. Thereafter the feeling became quiet, and Bank Demand receded to 1s. 6½d. at which it closed, a fair business having been done in Bank Paper, but little in Private Bills. Forward Demand was quoted at closing at 1s. 6 5-16d. for January delivery, and Credits at 1s. 7¼d. for January, 1s. 7¾d. for February. On the following morning there was a very quiet feeling, and after a sale of Bank Demand at 1s. 6¾d. the rate soon receded to 1s. 6d., at which it closed with an easy feeling. Three months' sight Credits were first quoted at 1s. 6¾d. but the rate soon became 1s. 6 9-16d. and eventually 1s. 6¾d. Very little business transpired, Merchants' Bills having been very scarce, and enquiry for Bank Paper, ready or forward, having been absent. On Wednesday some ready Bank Demand was placed, the first thing in the morning, at 1s. 6d. ; but the rate soon receded to 1s. 5 15-16 to ¾d. and three months' sight Credits to 1s. 6¾d. in a very quiet market ; and in the afternoon a still easier feeling was apparent. There was very little business doing, however, pending the receipt of news regarding Council Bill allotments. Yesterday the market was strong with one buyer of three months' sight Credits for the mail at opening, at 1s. 6¾d. ; but rates rapidly advanced 3-16d. all round, and closed with a very firm feeling, especially for forward business, at 1s. 6¾d. for Bank Demand for January delivery, and 1s. 6¾d. for Credits, for next month. A fair amount of Merchants' Bills were placed early in the day at 1s. 6 11-16 for December, and 1s. 6 13-16d. for January delivery for three months' sight Credits ; but these rates did not last long. There was not much enquiry for the Bank media of remittance ; but a transaction in Telegraphic transpired at 1s. 6¾d. for March transfer. The market opened firm this morning, at 1s. 6¾d. for Bank Demand and 1s. 6¾ to 15-16d. for Credits ; and on Bills being offered, the Demand rate advanced 1-16d. ; but Credits failing to come out in any great number, the market weakened this afternoon, and closed at the following quotations for ready business, Bank Demand forward being called 1s. 6 11-16 for January, and Credits at 1s. 7 5-16d. for February delivery :—

Bank Bills on Demand	.....	1s. 6 7-16d.
Do.	Telegraphic	1s. 6 5-16d.
Do.	3 months' sight	1s. 6 11-16d.
Do.	4 months' sight	1s. 6¾d.
Do.	6 months' sight	1s. 6 15-16d.
Credits	3 months' sight	1s. 6 15-16d.
Do.	6 months' sight	1s. 7 3-16d.
Documents,	3 months' sight	1s. 6 31-32d.
Do.	6 months' sight	1s. 6 7-32d.
Francs	3 months' sight	1·99½
„	6 months' sight	2·02½

GOVERNMENT PAPER.—Last week closed with a strong feeling in this market, especially for Account, and rates for Four per cents advanced to 103¾ for cash, 103 1-16 for the coming settlement, and 102 11-16 for January, there having been also the closing quotations for the mail. On Monday some further improvement took place, rates for Fours for Money having advanced 1-16 per cent., say to 103 3-16 buyers, and for Account 1 to 3-16 per cent., at 103 3-16 for the 1st December settlement, and 102½ for the January account with buyers on the latter line. There was a quieter and weaker feeling on the following day, and rates for Fours receded 1-16 per cent. all round, but a recovery took place in the afternoon, and closing rates were 103 3-16 for Money and the Settlement, and 102½ for the January account. On Wednesday the market was quiet, and Tuesday's slight advance was lost, 103¾ having been quoted for cash and Monday's settlement, and 102 13-16 for the January account, these having also been the closing rates little fresh business having transpired. Yesterday the feeling was strong in sympathy with news regarding Silver, and rates for Fours advanced ½ per cent. for Money and the Settlement, and 3-16 per cent. for the January account, closing quotations having been 103¾ and 103, respectively. The market has been very strong to-day at a further material advance in rates, say to 103½ for Fours for cash and the 1st proximo, and 103 3-16 for January, 4½ per cents. have been quoted nominally rather higher at 106½.

Five per cent. Municipal Loan is ½ per cent. lower, at 104½. Port Trust Bonds are higher to the same extent, at 99½.

SHARES.—Cotton Mill and Press shares have been latterly in good demand, and our quotations this evening show a more or less considerable rise in most cases compared with the prices ruling a week ago. In Mill Scrip we note an advance of Rs. 55 in Jewraj Balloo ; of Rs. 40 in Framjee Petit ; of Rs. 35 in Hindostan and Presidency ; of Rs. 30 in Victoria ; of Rs. 27½ in Ripon ; of Rs. 25 in Alliance and Oriental ; of Rs. 22½ in Luckmidas ; of Rs. 15 each in David, Bombay Cotton, Colaba Land and Mill, Mazagon, Swadeshi, and Queen ; of Rs. 10 in Bombay United, Hyderabad, Indian Manufacturing, Khatao Mucconji, New Great Eastern, and Sholapore ; of Rs. 5 in Lord Reay, Empress, Southern Mahratta, National, James Greaves, Jamshed, Empress, Coorla, Connaught, and City of Bombay ; and of Rs. 3 in Leopold. In Press shares there has been an advance of Rs. 20 in Fort ; of Rs. 10 in Albert ; of Rs. 5 each in Bellary, Colaba, Khangaum, New Berar, New Indian, Prince of Wales, and Volkarts, and of Rs. 2½ in Mofussil. French have declined Rs. 50 ; and Bombay National Rs. 15. In Miscellaneous shares, Bombay-Burma Trading are Rs. 50 higher in the fresh issue, and Rs. 15 in the others ; Delhi and Northern Flour are Rs. 7½ higher ; Prince of Wales Fire have advanced Rs. 25 ; Port Canning and Phillips and Co. are Rs. 2½ higher.

IMPORTS.

PIECE-GOODS.—Finding exchange moving up again, wholesale up-country buyers of staple *Grey Goods* withdrew from the Market at previous rates, insisting on a reduction in price corresponding with the higher Exchange : this concession dealers refused to make, and business has consequently been curtailed on this line, though a fair retail demand has continued, and rates generally show little or no change from those quoted a week ago. Stocks meantime are diminishing gradually. In *Bleached, Dyed, Printed,* and *Turkey Red* Goods a small business has been passing at last mail's rates. A fair business has transpired in *Local* Goods at the quotations of last Thursday. The Clearances from the bazaar are estimated at only 3,500 packages of *Imported* Goods ; while the off-take of *Local* Goods has been about 3,000 bales.

YARNS.—*Imported Twist* has been little inquired for ; but the small business, which has been passing has been on about the basis of previous rates. The recent rise in Exchange has virtually driven the China of *Bombay Spinnings,* whom we last week reported to be making unusually large purchases, out of the market. The sales during the last fortnight at Hongkong, and other centres of the trade, aggregated 10,000 bales, with Exchange at Rs. 220½. Spinners here are much strengthened by having made large sales, and any reduction of rates in the near future is out of the question. The sales during the week have amounted to 2,500 bales. The market closes firm at the following official quotations :—

Twist...	...No. 6s. Mule	As.	4½	to	4¾ per lb.
„ ...	... „ 8s.	„	4¾	„	4¼ „
„ ...	... „ 10s.	„	4½	„	5¼ „
„ ...	... „ 12s.	„	5¼	„	5¼ „
„ ...	... „ 16s.	„	5 9-16	„	6 „
„ ...	... „ 20s.	„	5½	„	6¾ „
„ ...	... „ 24s.	„	6¾	„	6¾ „
„ ...	... „ 30s.	„	7	„	7¼ „
„ ...	... „ 40s.	„	8¼	„	9½ „

METALS.—A moderate business only has been done in *Copper* and *Yellow Metal* during the past week, both markets having been quiet in tone ; but prices are unchanged for all descriptions. *Iron* is steady at last mail's rates, transactions during the week having also been upon only a moderate scale.

COAL has been quiet but steady. A sale of Davison's West Hartley per Belagio (s), shortly due, has been made at Rs. 16½ per ton ; and a cargo of Powell's Duffryn, per Imam (s), for December shipment, has been placed at Rs. 17½ per ton. We quote Powell's forward, at Rs. 18, and Davison's at Rs. 16½ per ton.

EXPORTS.

COTTON.—By the end of last week the improved demand for this staple, which set in after the *Dewali,* had quite subsided, and the tone of the market was quiet, while prices were Re. 1 per candy lower, all round. Since then, with the exception of a further decline of Re. 1 per candy on Tuesday, the market has been steady on the whole, but with no more than a moderate business passing on any day, and a small business on some transactions having been chiefly in ready new Cotton of the earlier growths, in which both exporters and local spinners have participated, very little enquiry having been felt for arrival contracts. The principal lots taken have been in ready New Bengals, at Rs. 160-174 ; Julgaum, at Rs. 178-8-184 ; Pachora, and Ginned Pachora, at Rs. 174-6½ ; Chalisgaum, at Rs. 173 4½-5½ ; Dhulia, at Rs. 173-4 ; and Ginned Hingunghat, at Rs. 206-13 per candy. Of old stuff a few small parcels have changed hands of Mowa, at Rs. 176-85 ; Bhownugger, at Rs. 181-90 ; Khangaum, at Rs. 170 ; Veraval, at Rs. 155-7 ; and Compta, at Rs. 160-3 per candy. The market closed quiet this evening with rates Re. 1 lower all round, than they were a week ago.

The Receipts of Cotton of the new crop during the past week have been 15,320 bales compared with 7,943 bales arrived in the previous week, and with 35,700 bales to hand in the corresponding week last season ; and the deficiency in Arrivals of new Cotton this year compared with last has now become 63,750 bales.

According to the telegraphic reports to hand from the districts at the beginning of the week, the weather over the whole of the Cotton area during the latter half of the previous week had left nothing to be desired, all signs of rain having disappeared, and been replaced by bright days, and, in many districts, cold and dewy mornings. The harvesting of the Bengal and Oomrawatee crop proceeding under favorable circumstances, attention is now directed more to the later growths and, if those reports from Broach stated that the plants were showing balls which, on some, were rapidly ripening, and the same advices came from Dhollera and Wadhwan in the Dhollera circle ; while in the Dharwar district of Hubli the plants could scarcely have looked better. The further news received by wire yesterday was of precisely the same tenor as that above recorded, bright, seasonable weather continuing to prevail all over the Cotton area, the only rain which had fallen having been half an inch at Beawar, in the Bengal circle ; and then all signs of rain had since disappeared.

The following are to day's quotations for full-pressed Cotton, with the equivalent in Sterling, Cost, and Freight to Liverpool, via Canal, without commission, viz. :—

Cotton—	Per candy.	Per lb. C. & F.
Bengal Fine (Dec-Jan)	Rs. 172 to 184.	
Do. Fully Good „	„ 160 to 3 27-32.	
Do. Good „	„ 145 to 3 15-16.	
Oomra, Fully Good (Goo. Staple) Feb	„ 2 3-4 to 4 27-32.	
Do. Good do do	„ 195 to 4 21-32.	
Khandeish, Fully Good (Jan-Feb)	„ 178 to 4 9-32.	
Do. Good do	„ 173 to 4 5-32.	
Broach, Fine (March)	„ 216 to 5 4.	
Do Good do	„ 208 to 4 31-32.	
Belauti, Fine (Feb)	„ 178 to 4 9-32.	
Do. Fully Good „	„ 173 to 4 5-32.	
Do. Good „	„ 168 to 4 1-32.	
Dhollera, Fine (April-May)	„ 202 to 4 19-32.	
Do. Fully Good „	„ 190 to 4 17-32.	
Do. Good „	„ 183 to 4 ¼.	

The arrivals of new Cotton into Bombay this season, as compared with last are as follows :—

	Season. 1890-91.	Season. 1889-90.
	Bales.	Bales.
Bengals.....	14,000	64,000
Berar.....	3,800	16,000
Khandeish	18,000	17,000
Hingunghaut.....	450	3,000
	36,250	100,000

The movements of Cotton to date show the following comparison with the previous two years :—

Receipts.	1890.	1889.	1888.
For the week	20,015	37,337	10,750
From 1st Jan. to 27th Nov.....	1,993,979	1,809,446	1,341,396
Clearances to Great Britain and Continent.			
For the week	1,135	1,467	2,635
From 1st Jan. to 27th Nov.....	1,393,111	1,241,287	842,471
Clearances to Calcutta, China, &c.			
For the week	388	2,730	471
From 1st Jan. to 27th Nov.....	65,997	37,457	43,240

WHEAT.—In view of the upward course of Exchange this staple export has been neglected by shippers, to a great extent, and the tone of the market has been quiet, or at best steady, at previous quotations for all kinds.

SEEDS also have not been much wanted for export, and only a small or moderate business has been done from day to day, while prices of *Linseed* and *Rapeseed* have declined to our quotations, other descriptions being unchanged in value. We now quote :—

Linseed.....	Rs. 6-4-6 to Rs. 6-7-0 per cwt.
Rapeseed, Yellow Guzerat. „	6-4-0 „
Do. do. Cawnpore. „	6-2-0 „
Do. Red do. „	5-8-0 to „ 6-0-0 „

The Comparative Imports of Wheat and Seeds are as follows :—

	cwt.	cwt.	cwt.
Wheat for the week.....	233,972	214,209	142,691
Do. from 1st Jan. to 27th November...	6,126,754	6,123,625	11,196,937
Linseed for the week.....	41,739	41,534	29,255
Do. from 1st Jan. to 27th November...	2,379,563	1,956,348	2,769,055
Rapeseed for the week...	937	17,152	22,766
Do. from 1st Jan. to 27th November...	896,091	1,992,171	2,005,846
Gingelly seed for the week	62,423	62,034	34,567
Do. from 1st Jan. to 27th November...	919,042	847,030	804,927

The clearances of Wheat and Seeds to Great Britain and Continent are as follows :—

Wheat for the week.....	221,703	103,772	218,509
Do. from 1st Jan. to 27th November...	4,583,326	5,420,500	9,249,322
Linseed for the week ...	18,750	18,751	91,189
Do. from 1st Jan. to 27th November...	2,263,776	2,030,388	2,513,901
Rapeseed for the week..	375	22,472	72,219
Do. from 1st Jan. to 27th November...	746,583	2,172,932	1,769,402
Gingelly Seed for the week	28,651	31,873	4,000
Do. from 1st Jan. to 27th November...	963,256	775,923	711,793

THERMOMETER READINGS.

THURSDAY NIGHT, NOVEMBER 27.
10 p.m. ... ... 73·4
FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 28.
6 a.m... ... ... 73·2
10 a.m... ... ... 79·8
2 p.m... ... ... 83·5
4 p.m... ... ... 83·0

TELEGRAPHIC LINE REPORTS.

NOVEMBER 28.
STATE OF INTERNATIONAL COMMUNICATION.
Great Britain.—Via Teheran, interrupted. Via Turkey, perfect. Via Suez, perfect.
Continent of Europe.—Via Teheran, interrupted. Via Turkey, perfect. Via Suez, perfect.
America.—Via Brest, perfect. Via Valentia, perfect. Via Direct Cable, perfect.
Australia.—Via Penang, perfect. Via Amoor, perfect.
China.—Via Penang, perfect. Via Amoor, perfect.
Mauritius mail closes Zanzibar at 8 a.m. on Sunday, 30th inst.
Telegrams for the Argentine Republic and beyond can only be accepted via Galveston.
Communication with British Guiana cut off by failure of cable Trinidad-Demarara.
Communication with Central and South America via the Galveston route cut off by failure of cable Salina Cruz-Libertad. Telegrams for Guatemala and places south of Guatemala must be charged for at rates via Key West.

FOREIGN TELEGRAPHIC SERVICE.

LATEST dates of foreign messages received at Bombay from the United Kingdom during the 24 hours ending at 8 p.m. on the 28th November, 1890.

(Difference in longitude allowed for.)

Via	Latest Dates. D.	H.	M.	Time occupied in transmission. Hours.	Minutes.
Turkey	28	11	30 a.m.	2	29
Teheran	...	Nil.	...	...	...
Suez	28	1	45 p.m.	...	43

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TELEGRAMS.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAMS.)

THE CONNEMARA DIVORCE SUIT.

LONDON, Nov. 27, 12-30 P.M.

Lady Connemara has gained a decree *nisi* in the divorce suit against her husband.

1-30 P.M.

Sir James Hannen, in giving judgment in the Connemara Divorce suit, stated that the evidence of Lady Connemara, which had not been contradicted, fully proved cruelty and adultery on the part of the respondent.

[We hear from a private source that Lord Connemara was not represented in Court and the case was undefended.]

THE ITALIAN ELECTIONS.

ROME, Nov. 27.

The Italian Elections are over, and show a majority of 410 in favour of Signor Crispi's Government over the Opposition party, who only secured 99 seats.

[The above has been greatly delayed in transmission.]

LADY HARRIS.

(FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.)

POONA, Nov. 28.

Lady Harris proceeded to Mahableshwar yesterday morning, owing to a slight indisposition of her child, and will remain on the hills till the 7th proximo, when she will go on direct to Bombay to join his Excellency. Her ladyship will consequently not be present to-morrow to give away the prizes at the distribution, which takes place at the Rifle Camp, as she had intended doing. Lord Harris will therefore perform the ceremony.

WANTAGE COMPETITION FOR THE HARRIS CHALLENGE CUPS.

The Wantage Competition for the Harris Challenge Cups, which came off this afternoon at the Rifle Ranges, attracted a large gathering of spectators; among whom were Lord Harris, with Prince Casterhazy, the Commander-in-Chief, General Solly-Flood, and numerous others. The course was in a splendid order, and jumps had never been better set up. Captain Rossetter had the charge of all the timing arrangements, and successfully managed his part of the work. Owing to a number of entries the start had to be made as early as quarter to two o'clock. Colonel Greig, R. A., judged the riding; and the order of running had been drawn for in the morning, British and Native teams being mixed up. The 8th Hussars from Mhow, who entered two teams, had the hard luck to draw the first two numbers consecutively, so that they had had to ride first one after another using the same horses, which had been lent them by the 3rd Light Cavalry, and in the hot sun with all this, however, they were fortunate enough to carry off the cup and second prize. Their second team, commanded by Sergeant Simmons, who went first in the order of running, made the best score among the British teams, namely, 104; two points having been deducted for riding; the other Hussar team made 102, one point having been lost for riding. The 72nd Battery made, 105, but lost one point for riding and four for overtime, leaving 100. The 55th Battery scored 100 in shooting, but lost one point in riding. The Bombay Light Horse, though splendidly mounted, did not do well in shooting, making only 92, from which four points were deducted for overtime, and one for riding, leaving 87. The British teams fired from 500 and 400 yards, and the native teams from 400 and 300 yards, they competed separately. Separate cups and prizes being given separately for the British teams. The prizes were:—First, a prize cup, presented by H. E. the Governor, and Rs. 150; and second prize, Rs. 100. For natives, first prize, a cup, presented by H. E. the Governor and Rs. 150; and second prize, Rs. 50. Of the twelve native teams, which competed the first team, 3rd Cavalry Hyderabad Contingent did the best, scoring 129 points, nothing being deducted for riding or overtime. They went through the performance in a very good style. The Poona Horse, first squadron, though they lost one point for riding, came second with 123 points; their third squadron team coming third with 122, two points having been taken off for riding. The third team of the 3rd Hyderabad Cavalry made 115 points, to which 7 were added for Snider handicap, but lost one mark for riding and four for overtime. The 6th Bombay Cavalry scored altogether 114; the Poona Horse, first squad, 107; and second squad, 103; 3rd Hyderabad, second squad, 96; the native officers' team of the Poona Horse, 96; 5th Bombay Cavalry, third squad, 90; second squad, 86; and 3rd Light Cavalry, 86. Last year among the British teams, the S Battery R. H. A. won this competition, with 104 points, the same score as made this year; and among the native teams the 1st Hyderabad Cavalry, with 143 points.

BOMBAY ARMY ORDERS.

The corps under orders for the camp of instruction to be held at Poona in January, 1891, will move as follows:—

The 2nd Battalion Lancashire Fusiliers will leave Ahmednagar on the 23rd December, arriving at Kirkee on the 30th idem.

The 1st Bombay Grenadiers will leave Ahmednagar on the 26th December, arriving at Kirkee on the 1st January, 1891.

The 26th Field Battery Royal Artillery, for artillery practice, will leave Ahmednagar on the 29th December, arriving at Kirkee on the 3rd January.

The Poona Horse will leave Sirur on the 29th December, and arrive at Kalas on the 31st idem.

Two companies of the 2nd Lancashire Fusiliers will leave Satara on the 20th December, arriving at Kirkee on the 27th idem.

The 3rd Bombay Light Infantry will leave Satara on the 27th December, arriving at Kirkee on 2nd January.

H. E. the Commander-in-Chief has been pleased to make the following appointments in to-day's Army Orders:—

Captain C. V. B. Kuper, R. A., to be Station Staff Officer, first class, at Nasirabad, with effect from the 19th November.

1st Duke of Connaught's Own Lancers.—Surgeon S. E. Pratt, Indian Medical Service, general duty, Bombay district, to officiate in medical charge, *vice* Surgeon W. H. Quicke, in civil employ, or until further orders.

2nd Bombay Lancers.—Lieutenant Griffiths, officiating Squadron Officer, to be Squadron Officer.

Lieutenant-Colonel and Colonel H. St. J. V. De Le M. Thomas Lemarchant, R. H. A., Commanding R. A. at Kirkee, having been elected to be placed on half-pay on completion of five years' service in the rank of regimental Lieutenant-Colonel will be struck off the strength of the R. A. in this Presidency, from the 27th November, 1890, inclusive, and permitted to proceed to England, travelling under para. 223d, part 1, and para. 512d, A R I, Volume X.

Under instructions from the Horse Guards, War Office, it is intimated that Lieutenant-Colonel R. W. Kaye, R.A., has been appointed to the Royal Horse Artillery, *vice* Lieutenant Colonel and Colonel H. St. J. V. M. LeMarchant, commanding at Kirkee.

Under instructions from Horse Guards it is notified that his Royal Highness the Commander-in-Chief has been pleased to sanction the exchange of battalions between Captain Tallents, Lancashire Fusiliers, and Captain G. E. C. Cure from first to second, provided that the public be put to no expense by the arrangement.

With the approval of H. E. the Commander-in-Chief in India, the undermentioned officers have been granted leave to England:—

Captain F. B. Mathews, Royal Lancashire, 2nd battalion, for one year, on private affairs.

Honorary Captain and Paymaster C. F. H. Beaudmore, Army Pay Department, 2nd Middlesex Regiment, for one year, on private affairs.

The undermentioned officers have been granted leave of absence:—

Lieut.-Colonel and Colonel D. V. Shortland, late Madras Artillery, to England, for six months, on medical certificate.

THE CONNEMARA DIVORCE SUIT.

(FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.)

MADRAS, Nov. 28.

The *Mail* says it is greatly to be deplored that Lord Connemara did not act in anticipation of the case going against him by default, for by retaining office till the result of the suit was known he has placed the whole community of Madras in a most embarrassing position. To hold office, and while holding office to be condemned, is an error in judgment which no community, however sympathetic and unpharisaical, can fail to lament or be influenced by his Excellency's position is thus rendered untenable.

THE DELHI-KALKA RAILWAY.

(FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT)

ALLAHABAD, Nov. 28.

The Delhi-Kalka Railway official inspection will take place early in January, it being now definitely settled to open the line on the 1st February.

THE ATTOCK MANŒUVRES.

To-day's manœuvres at Attock were obliged to be postponed, owing to the heavy fall of rain, the previous evening.

THE DEVONSHIRE REGIMENT FOR BURMA.

H. E. the Commander-in-Chief saw the Devonshire Regiment off from the railway station for Burma on Thursday morning.

THE CZAREWITCH'S PARTY.

Colonel M. Gerard, Central India Horse, Captain Grover, 2nd Punjab Cavalry, and Lieutenant Newnham, 10th Bombay Infantry, will be attached to the Czarewitch's party during their Indian tour.

THE VICEROY AND TECHNICAL EDUCATION.

Lord Lansdowne visited the Agra College on Thursday afternoon, and replied to an address presented to him, commenting favourably on the introduction of technical education in India.

LADY LANSDOWNE AND THE DUFFERIN FUND.

The Marchioness of Lansdowne presided at a meeting of the Provincial Committee of the Dufferin Fund held at the Viceroy's Camp on Thursday morning. The Lieutenant-Governor and several members of the committee were present.

DEATH OF A "COW-PROTECTOR."

(FROM A CORRESPONDENT.)

AJMERE, Nov. 28.

The well-known leader of the cow-protection movement, Paramahansa Parivrajakacharya Shrimanswamy, while on his way to Bombay, died of fever at Pooshkar.

GAZETTE OF INDIA NOTIFICATIONS.

(FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.)

CALCUTTA, Nov. 28.

Sir Stewart Bayley's resignation is gazetted as from the 17th December.

Mr. Neil assumed the officiating Chief Commissionership of the Central Provinces on the 18th instant.

The services of Lieutenant S. H. Pelly, Bombay Staff Corps, Second-in-Command, Upper Burma Military Police, has been replaced at the disposal of the Military Department.

Captain Evans Gordon, Madras Staff Corps, Political Assistant, first class, returned from furlough, has been posted as Assistant Resident at Kashmir.

Mr. D. J. Burbridge, Assistant Comptroller, Burma, has been granted leave for 56 days. Mr. A. Survanum officiates.

Colonel Sir W. S. Lockhart to be Commandant, second-class district, *vice* Sir J. MacQueen.

Brigadier-General Protheroe, officiating Commandant of the Hyderabad Contingent, has been confirmed.

Captain Bray, Royal Inniskillings, has been appointed Deputy Assistant Quarter Master General, Burma.

Brigadier-General Stedman, Inspector-General of Police, Burma, has been granted leave for one year.

Mr. I. G. Bailey, Builders' Foreman, Bombay Dockyard, officiates as Chief Builder, Kidderpore Dockyard.

Captain G. Parker, Indian Marine, has been granted furlough for five months.

STEAMER MOVEMENTS.

NAPLES, Nov. 27.

The B. I. S. N. Company's steamer Goorkha left here this evening (Calcutta boat).

HONGKONG, Nov. 28.

The P. and O. Company's steamer Gwalior arrived here from Bombay this morning.

COLOMBO, Nov. 28.

The P. and O. Company's steamer Rosetta, with the China and Australian mails, left here for Bombay at 3 p.m. yesterday.

The Italian steamer Bisagno, which left Bombay on the 8th, arrived at Hongkong on the morning of the 28th instant.

COMMERCIAL AND FINANCIAL NEWS.

LONDON, Nov. 27.

The Liverpool Cotton Market closed steady. Surats quiet.

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The Manchester Market has been quiet.

Exchange on India, 30 days' sight. 1s. 5⅞d.
2½ per cent. Consols for account... 96⅛
3 per cent. French Rentes 95½
4 per cent. Rupee Paper 79½
4½ per cent. " 82½
3½ per cent. Sterling Loan..... 108
Bar Silver 48

The Bank of England Returns for the week ending yesterday show the following results:—Total bullion, £24,700,000, increase, £2,100,000; public deposits, £3,800,000, decrease, £300,000; other deposits, £35,000,000, decrease, £1,400,000; other securities, £29,900,000, decrease £2,300,000; notes and gold, £19,500,000, increase, £1,200,000. The Bank's reserve is 42 per cent. of the liabilities.

THE HARRIS CHALLENGE CUP.

(FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.)

POONA, Nov. 28.

The following is the order of running of the team for the Harris Challenge Cup,—Lloyd-Lindsay Competition, commencing at 1-30 p.m. to-day:—

1.—18th Hussars, 2nd Team.
2.—18th Hussars, 1st Team.
3.—9th Bombay Cavalry.
4.—Poona Horse, 4th Squadron.
5.—72nd Field Battery R.A.
6.—3rd (Q. O.) Light Cavalry.
7.—55th Field Battery R.A.
8.—3rd Hyderabad Cavalry, 1st Team.
9.—Poona Horse, 2nd Squadron.
10.—5th Bombay Cavalry, 2nd Squadron.
11.—3rd Hyderabad Cavalry, 2nd Team.
12.—Poona Horse, 1st Team (Officers.)
13.—Bombay Light Horse.
14.—5th Bombay Cavalry, 3rd Squadron.
15.—3rd Hyderabad Cavalry, 3rd Team.
16.—Poona Horse, 1st Squadron.
17.—Poona Horse, 3rd Squadron.

PASSENGERS BY THE HOMEWARD MAIL.

The P. and O. Co.'s s. s. Assam, Captain W. J. Webber, will sail to-day for London, Brindisi, Marseilles, Ismailia and Aden, with the Europe mails and the following passengers:—

FOR LONDON.

Lieut R H Gray — Mr W S Attenborough
Mr and Mrs Lindsley and two children — Mr J F Russell, Mrs Pynn
Mr H F Weston

FOR BRINDISI.

Mr P W Barker — Mr J Hockle
Mr G F M Grant — Mr T E Evens
Mr A Harvey — Dr R J Baker
Lieut H L Roberts

FOR MARSEILLES.

Mr R Elliot and son — Major Reilly
Mr Carden — Mr W Berens
Mr Hawkins — Rev L Phillips
Mr A L McIntire — Mr Corstophine
Mr J Lace — Mr W Sandford
Mr Geo Carter — Mr J Buckley
Capt L O Shadwell — Colonel Gatacre
Major W B Furlis

FOR ISMAILIA.—Mr C Howland
FOR ADEN.—Major and Mrs Sealy

The following passages have been engaged:—

Per s. s. Oriental, Capt. E. Stewart, 6th December 1890.

FOR LONDON.—Mr R Pemberton, Mr E C Baird, Mr C P H Wiltshire and child, Miss Sparkes, Mr N M Captain, Mr R McGill, Capt R Groome, and M F M R Setna.

FOR BRINDISI.—Mr W G Underwood, Mr Wakefield, Mrs Porter, Mr and Mrs A Christie and infant, Lady Sandeman, Mrs Rose, Mr H J Price, Major and Mrs Weigerwood, Miss Ashpitel, Major Genl E H H Collen, Mr and Mrs J Calvert and infant, Mr C Tudball, H G Richard-son, Captain MacIvor, Mr James Craik, Mr and Mrs Filligans, Mr J Shave, Captain C H Stated, Mr Hooper, and Captain E Inglis.

Per s. s. Siam, Capt. H. S. Weighell, 13th December 1890.

FOR MARSEILLES.—Mrs Dankes, 2 children, and nurse.

Per s. s. Clyde, Capt. J. L. Parfitt, 20th December 1890.

FOR LONDON.—M J Macpherson.
FOR BRINDISI.—Sir Stuart Bayley and Lady Bayley.

VANITY FAIR.

(FROM OUR LADY CORRESPONDENT.)

LONDON, Nov. 7.

"WHAT another?—No, it can't be another.—Yes, but it is another Art Show in London." I hear the echo of these exclamations,—these plaints, moans, murmurs, of Art-sick Bombay; and honestly sympathize with them; for in truth, we have been lately rather too generously treated to picture exhibitions. The saying "it never rains but it pours," so true of weather and every thing else British, has been verified as regards Art this season. It has showered Art in Piccadilly, rained Art in Pall Mall, poured Art in Bond Street, Regent Street, and the regions round St. James's. Like the universal deluge, Art has spread everywhere, north and south, west and east,—from Hammersmith to Bromley-by-Bow, from Hampstead Heath to the confines of Southwark and Peckham Rye; and though we Londoners have risen buoyantly on the flood, there is no use denying that we are so thoroughly saturated with Art, feeling that it will take some time to finally dry us out.

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This week the Galleries of the Royal Society of British Artists have been thrown open to the public, and the collection of oil and water-colour pictures is an unusually good one. There is variety in the subjects and in the style—from classic maidens to cats at play, all tastes are catered for, and he must be a very captious critic who does not find something to admire among upwards of six hundred conscientious as well as clever works of art. At the top of the large room Watt's portrait of Lord Tennyson in his ermine occupies the post of honour in compliment to sitter and painter, both grown old in their country's esteem. On one of the side walls are two very attractive paintings, by cheridan Knowles, R. B. A. "Enid," a muddy-haired girl, and "Desdemona," a dark beauty. "Dionys," a child's portrait, charmingly put in by Miss Agnes Walker, is hung rather low to be seen to advantage, but one can appreciate its delicacy, as one must be attracted by the strength shown in her study of a musician in the south-west room—both give evidence of Miss Walkers' possessing unusual talent. A pathetic scene on boardship, "We therefore commit his body to the deep," is realistically painted by Mr. Frank Brangwin, in his quiet unobtrusive greys. The skipper reading the burial service, the group of sailors with their ghastly burden;—the slummering summer sea, make a striking picture, though rather a gruesome one to line with.

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The cleverest painting in the Exhibition is a portrait of M. Phipps Jackson, Esq., a gentleman in Tudor costume, pointed beard and voluminous ruffles. It is by Mr. J. A. Fitzgerald and is broadly and finely done, without the superfluous attempt at fine finish, which detracts from the quality and character of portraiture. "A Subscription Ball," by Theodore Cook, though woefully ill-drawn, is a nice attempt at a London street scene. The dancing girls, the old hurdy-gurdy man, the women and babies are just what one comes upon in the slum corners. But they might have been better treated. There is life, vigour, dash, in the London factory girls at play—in their surroundings there is brightness and colour—if it is only the gaudiness of advertisements, or the flaunting cheap drapery of the shop windows, or the glare of gas-lights from the neighbouring public house. But these have been missed; and the result is a sad dingy little scene that just misses being picturesque. Though there are very few water-colour studies, in comparison to oils there are some very pleasant bits of colour in the first room. "Alandar," by Mr. Tom Robertson, is a view of fishing boats in the misty morning delightfully put in after that wet fashion that leaves soft edges, and gives the blurred effect of our misty atmosphere. A study of an old woman's head, by Miss Anna Griffin, is also cleverly done in the French style of work, direct and transparent, and showing the touches without stippling. An altar piece representing the "Women at the Sepulchre" is a good example of Mr. George Tinworth's work in high relief, and is intended for the private chapel of the Marquis of Northampton, at Castle Ashby.

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Mr. F. Marion Crawford's new story, "A Cigarette Maker's Romance," begins with a very graceful apology for enticing his readers to follow him into regions so very suggestive of romantic desolation as the back shops of a Munich tobacconist. And yet from the very outset the author manages to throw a glamour over the scene, and to invest even the commonplace workers with interest, due, not to any startling sensations in which they take part, but to their own strong living individuality. As he draws his pictures, one realizes them even more intensely than if they were before our eyes; for, with the skill of the literary vivisector he probes the hearts of his *dramatis personæ*, and demonstrates what goes on below the surface as well as showing us what appears outside. Looking into the little factory through the haze of tobacco-smoke which has in the course of years tinted the walls and shelves a rich dark brown, the workers are one by one introduced to us—first, the kind-hearted but tactless Cossack, whom fate, in the form of an inconstant sweetheart, has exiled from his native steppes and transformed into Juans schmidt, the tobacco chopper, a German workman in name but not in nature. Next the rough boorish Dunnoff with a mind that rises no higher in ideal enjoyment than quaffing unlimited corn-brandy or cabbage broth. Then the two girls, the gigging Anna, and the patient colorless Vjera, rolling their tissue paper cigarette shells. Lastly, the strange wistful figure of their eccentric fellow-labourer, the visionary who calls himself Count Skariatine, and who week after week has a hallucination that the time has come when he shall be restored to his rights. Among his fellow-workmen the announcement has been so often made without result that it has become a joke and the Count, though somewhat a favourite, on account of his gentle courtesy to every one, is considered to be harmlessly insane. Vjera is the only one who doubts his madness, though she is the greatest sufferer, for in spite of his eccentricity she is in love with him, and every week he proposes to marry her on Tuesday night, and forgets all about it on Thursday morning. The story all hangs on Vjera's pretty devotion to the crazy Count. She sacrifices everything to save him from disgrace, and when fortune finally favours him, he does not forget her. It would spoil all interest in the story to give more than an outline of it. But the plot, though slight, is well carried out, and from beginning to end there is not a dull page. One is thoroughly carried away by the charm of the uncommon hero and heroine, and one lays down the book with regret that it is not at least a volume longer.

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The members of the Albemarle Club have increased and multiplied so considerably that it has been found necessary to transfer the Club to other quarters. So latterly, while the move has been in progress, the lady-members are being boarded out at the Alexandra. But the Alexandra is strictly and severely womanly—it has not opened its arms in a sisterly embrace to its nameless brother Albemarlites, so the unhappy male members are like unto the timid dove outside the Ark in not finding a resting place for the sole of its foot. Whether it is in sorrow for its wandering brethren or not, there is not much joy among the Albemarle ladies, and they do not take kindly to their sisters at the Alexandra. The Alexandra is all the same a very charming place; very delightfully situated near Bond Street, and very well managed. To be a member it is not an essential, as some say, that one must have been presented at Court, but one must be presentable—the Alexandrines do not admit any tarnished names on their list—in fact each member is supposed to be a personified Mrs. Grundy; and their enemies say they look it. But as far as an ordinary spectator can judge they are all that is well built and dignified and not unduly severe or forbidding.

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Looking back through what the poetic novelist calls the mist of years, it seems most surprising how stoically people bore up in time of bereavement under the added infliction of having to mourn in reams of monotonously bordered letter paper. It is true there was variety in the depth of lugubriousness we assumed in our correspondence. While we bewailed the departed spinster aunt who left us her life-time of savings in hard cash, with an inch deep jetty margin, we treated the memory of the uncle who cuts us off with a shilling with a fine wire edged line of black, or even perhaps a flippant looking vandyke margin of a delicate gray or mauve. But, now, if we wish to assume sorrow in our correspondence, we have no lack of variety. We may grieve with one heavy bar of black down the sheet of paper, or we may grieve with a sombre frieze across the top. Or if that palls upon our taste we may show our sorrow by one black dog's ear corner, or we may be quadruply mournful with all the corners black. It seems wonderful that all this was not thought of long ago.

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Pretty note paper for ordinary correspondence is also made with a colored frieze running across the top of the sheet and a narrow border below. Generally the design is of small flowers, violets, snowdrops, or hawthorn blossom.

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A new silver stand holding bread and butter, and cake, with cream jug and sugar basin can be had now in very pretty designs and is most useful at afternoon tea-parties for supplying the wants of guests without delay.

Is it not a crying shame against the Government, asks the *Madras Mail*, that sepoys belonging to the recently disbanded 33rd Regiment are now to be seen half-starved and in rags begging from door to door in the lines of the 3rd Palamcottah Light Infantry, Vepery, having spent their miserable gratuity of two or three months' pay? "If we had mutinied in 1857, remarked an old subadar the other day, who had remembered the reading of the Governor-General's humble appeal to the men of the Madras Army to stand firm and loyal at that dreadful crisis, "the Sirkar would have treated us better, but we were true to our salt; and look now how our sons are being treated—turned off with a few rupees from a service which we brought them up to look upon as their only home.

LANDSCAPE GARDENING IN NATIVE STATES.

II.

ANOTHER flourishing Native State, Bhownugger which presents in all respects most interesting features, and which when the works now under construction are completed will possess some of the finest modern buildings in India, has also with regard to gardening kept apace with the times, and it is well worthy of notice that what in this respect has been successfully accomplished has been done without the assistance of a European gardener. The public gardens called the Poile Gardens are a proof of what successful results may be arrived at by energy and skill, aided by practical judgment and a liberal expenditure. The site now occupied by the gardens was but six years ago a piece of waste ground. The area of the garden is limited, and its shape anything but a desirable one for a garden. Though the gardens do not pretend to closely follow the principle of landscape-gardening, no serious or apparent sins against these principles, which are but too often overlooked in gardens of this kind, are met with, and the talented State-Engineer, Mr. Proctor Sims, to whose genial taste and skill this, as almost all of the many remarkable public works in the State are due, deserves very great credit for the results obtained. If any objection can be taken to the design of the gardens, it is a perhaps little too close adherence to straight lines; but the distribution of trees and shrubs has been so successfully planned and carried out, as to perfectly counteract any undue uniformity and stiffness that is generally likely to result from this cause. Whether it be accidentally or intentionally, the general effect is to make the gardens appear considerably larger than they actually are. The excellency of the turf in the well kept lawns is a feature which is rarely met with up-country, and which is not surpassed even in Bombay. This fact proves that the maintenance of lawns, one of the most useful ornaments of gardens, is possible in even a comparatively dry climate, when sufficiently supplied with water. The size, shape, and choice of trees show how rapidly and successfully the growth is fostered under climatic conditions that are generally considered less favourable than those prevailing in Bombay, while it is quite out of the question to expect certain trees, as the nim, the tamarind, the millingtonia, the horse-radish tree, to grow to such perfection, and to assume such well regulated shapes in Bombay as the case is here. The almost entire absence of crotons and other brightly coloured shrubs in the gardens is a striking contrast to the ordinary features of Bombay gardens. But several fine specimens of palms, and not least the very effective and ornamental manner in which an approach to an old well is decorated, amply prove that a luxuriant tropical vegetation is possible, even where the choice of plants is so severely restricted by the climate as here. The more or less accessory ornaments in the gardens are all in excellent taste. The bandstand, at which H. H. the Thakore Saheb's band performs twice a week, is a very attractive feature. It is an octagonal rustic pavilion, covered with creepers, at the summit of the roof is a carved figure apparently of Orpheus, while the rafters which carry the roof are most skilfully terminated in various animal forms and show signs of no mean skill in wood-carving, an art for which Bhownugger is justly celebrated. The plant-house is a handsome structure, in the centre of which is a large oblong ornamental tank, and is tastefully studded with groups of plams, crotons and other foliage-plants, but here as in Baroda owing to the dryness of the climate, ferns are almost entirely missing. It is occasionally used for festive banquets, and must when lighted up present a very attractive appearance. A spiral staircase leads to a kind of gallery from which a bird's-eye view may be obtained not only of the interior of the plant-house, but also of the whole of the gardens. The cages in which the small collection of wild animals is housed, deserve to be mentioned as appearing to be comparatively inexpensive, very simple and admirably adapted to resist the heat of the Indian sun, while they are at the same time well ventilated and are not wanting in ornamental appearance. According to modern ideas they have the fault, however, of not being isolated, and of not being sufficiently raised above the ground. Each cage consists of a spacious cell, enclosed by thick walls in the Western and Eastern side, while the south side is furnished with bars. As the sun is never low enough to enter the cage from this direction, the inside is as cool as possible and coolness is further guaranteed by a roof of corrugated iron-plates, supporting a moderately thick layer of soil, which is turfed and constantly kept cool by watering. This cell, which seems to be the favourite resort for the animals at all times of the day, is on the northern side separated from an outer open-air cage of similar size by gratings with doors. The collection contains among other animals a remarkably fine pair of Kathiawar lions, which like the other animals seem to be in a very flourishing and healthy condition. The deer-park, which is simply fenced with barbed wire, is fairly large, but contains only a few kinds of deer. A white peacock, some very fine cockatoos, and a good specimen of the old eagle may be noticed in the collection of birds. The garden at Moti Bagh is, like the palace, without pretensions to beauty, but is now being remodelled. The nurseries of plants are well kept, and contain a good stock of healthy young plants. The cultivation of fruit trees is rather an important feature of the Bhownugger gardens, and a visit to the Dewan's summerhouse, which is surrounded by probably the best orchard in India, well repays the short drive from the town.

The admirably systematic arrangement, the flourishing and well-regulated growth of the trees, as also the unusually neat appearance of the whole orchard, forcibly reminded me of well kept market gardens at home, naturally allowing for the difference of trees and the entirely Indian system of irrigation. The principal fruit-trees found here are pomegrantes, limes, figs, oranges, plantains, and papayas, of which each occupy a separate quarter. I do not quite recollect if custard-apples, mangoes, and cocoanuts are cultivated here, but the first of these are successfully grown in other gardens, while the cultivation of the two latter kinds is rarely attended with success. Pomegranates, limes, and figs are extensively cultivated in the neighbourhood of Bhownugger, and are, I was told, principally exported to Bombay. About two miles from the town the site reserved for the Victoria Park is reached. It forms part of the Bhir, an extensive stretch of uncultivated land, principally covered with babool jungle, of which an area of 450 acres was fenced in by an earthen embankment during the last famine a few years ago, and by the well-known liberality of H. H. the Thakore Sahib reserved for the formation of a park, which his Highness is anxious should in every way be worthy of the high and distinguished name it bears. The natural conditions are almost without exception in the highest degree favourable for the formation of a park of unusual beauty. The great variety in the surface, in a few places rising to hills of not inconsiderable elevation, the beautiful natural lake surrounded by babool forest, the numerous exceptionally fine trees, and not least the varied objects of interest or picturesque effect in the surroundings, are all features that by a considerate assistance of nature, a suitable selection of trees and the affective grouping and distribution of plantations, will make it possible to create a scenery of great æsthetic effect and of rare beauty, without having recourse to any artificial means, which, unless employed with the very greatest skill, and executed on such a scale as to compare favourably with the natural objects they are supposed to represent, are generally in bad taste and calculated to mar the effect of natural park scenery. Several gardens, the European cemetery, and a large plantation chiefly consisting of casuarinas, also deserve to be mentioned as bearing evidence of the great interest taken in tree-planting, a feature which is also prominently noticed at Ghadeshi, the not very distant Railway depot, which can even boast of having a public garden of its own, though this is very small and unpretentious. No visitor to the neighbourhood of Bhownugger can fail to observe the splendid condition of the crops, principally cotton and the exceptionally high state of agriculture, a not very common feature in India. It may perhaps interest the reader to learn that Bhownugger possesses an incinerator, in which the town sweepings and nightsoil are by combustion rendered fit for supplying a most valuable and largely-used manure. About ten miles distant from Bhownugger, at Mohwar, the State possesses a very extensive plantation of cocoanut-palms, date-palms, and bamboos, which I however regret not to be able to describe, as I had no opportunity of visiting it. In reviewing my general impressions of gardening in Bhownugger, I cannot but arrive at the conclusion that though Baroda has been mentioned in the first place, as regards the extent and number of its gardens, it is especially when the disadvantages of the climate in Bhownugger are considered, excelled by the latter State in respect to practical results. Gardens and plantations of some importance are, I believe, found here and there in Kathiawar, but as Rajkot was the only place I had the opportunity of visiting I must confine my remarks to this place.

Rajkot is, as is well known, situated in the centre of Kathiawar, and might be supposed to be most unsuitable for gardening, when the scantiness of the annual rainfall (averaging 18 inches) and the dryness of the atmosphere are considered. It is therefore as welcome as unexpected a surprise to enter, what may be almost called an oasis in the desert, after having traversed the barren and scantily-cultivated districts through which the Morvi Railway passes. The principal object of interest is the Rajkumar College, a handsome building in pure gothic style, to which an extensive garden is attached. The garden, though laid out without pretensions to æsthetic effects, leaves a pleasing impression, the trees and plants being in a flourishing condition and the gardens well kept. An avenue of the Sumatran Cassia (Vilaite), which here forms a very handsome and shady tree, is very effective. Though the choice of kinds is necessarily limited, I was very much impressed by the successful results of planting. It may be hoped, that the daily contemplation of such pleasing surroundings may strike root and awake an interest in planting among the native princes who here receive their education. The success may, I believe, be solely attributed to the talented Principal of the College, Mr. MacNaughten, who I was told is himself considerably interested in botany and gardening, a fact which is a promising guarantee for the wider effects of the successful results. The so-called Public Park is located near the College, but has no pretensions whatever to its high sounding name, being only a very narrow strip of garden, of which the less said the better. The garden surrounding the Residency is rather extensive and contains several objects of interest. The present Political Agent, Mr. E. C. K. Ollivant, whose warm interest in gardening has accomplished such excellent results in Bombay, is rapidly improving the garden, and has already introduced several plants, hitherto unknown in Rajkot, and will no doubt materially encourage gardening there and assist in bringing it to a high degree of perfection. The fernery, lately erected near the Residency, and which is approached by a most ingeniously laid-out garden, gay with coloured shrubs and annuals in flourishing condition, bears witness to Mr. Ollivant's great taste and skill. It would lead too far here to enter into a detailed enumeration of the plants which succeed in Rajkot. Suffice it to mention that roses, geraniums, stephanotis, and many other choice plants here grow to great perfection. It is, however, found necessary to grow most plants in hollowed beds, with the object of retaining the water, or on banks enclosed by stones which tend to retain the moisture. Lawns are a hitherto unknown feature in Rajkot, but I have no doubt that repeated attempts will eventually prove successful, if the water-supply will suffice for their maintenance.

Having observed the successful results of tree-planting in Rajkot on the road-sides and near all stations of importance—such as Wadhwan which is notoriously dry, and where tree-planting was originally initiated by the Hon. Justice Birdwood, when residing there three years ago—I have no hesitation in expressing my belief, that a great deal might be effected by judicious tree-planting in Kathiawar. It might even be probable by this means, eventually to counteract some of the most important defects of the climate, and at the same time to add variety and picturesque beauty to the present desolate and uninteresting features of the greater part of the country.

G. CARSTENSEN.

H. E. THE GOVERNOR'S LEVEE.

THE following Notification was issued last evening as a *Government Gazette* Extraordinary:—

His Excellency the Governor will hold a Levee at the New Secretariat, Bombay, on Friday the 12th December 1890, at 4-30 p.m.

Gentlemen entitled to the Private Entree are requested to leave their Cards with the Aide-de-Camp at the Main Entrance of the New Secretariat on the occasion of the Levee.

Gentlemen purposing to attend the Levee, who have already been presented, are requested to bring two Cards with their names legibly written on each: one Card will be delivered to the Aide-de-Camp at the Entrance, and the second to the Aide-de-Camp in waiting at the time of presentation.

Gentlemen wishing to attend the Levee, who have not already been presented, are requested to send their Cards to the Military Secretary to His Excellency the Governor at least three days before the date of the Levee.

Gentlemen wearing Uniform will appear in Full Dress: European Gentlemen not wearing Uniform will appear in a Frock Coat or Dress Coat, with White or Coloured Trousers and White or Buff Waistcoat.

Clergymen being University Graduates, and other Gentlemen entitled to wear Robes or Gowns on account of Judicial or Academical office or status, should appear in such Robes or Gowns.

The carriages of Gentlemen who have the Private Entree will set down at the Main Entrance. All other carriages will set down at the North Door and take up at the South Door.

Gentlemen who have had the Private Entree granted them on personal grounds by former Governors have the privilege continued.

By Command,
FRANCIS RHODES, Colonel,
Military, Secretary to His Excellency the Governor.
Military Secretary's Office, Government House, Ganesh Khind, 27th November 1890.

THE WORDSWORTH MEMORIAL FUND.

A MEETING of the Wordsworth Memorial Committee was held in the University Library, Bombay, at 5-14 p.m. on Wednesday, the 26th November 1890, when there were present the Hon. Mr. Justice Birdwood, the Hon. Mr. Justice Telang, Professor MacMillan, Mr. W. E. Hart, Dr. D. MacDonald, Prof. A. V. Kathavate, Messrs. Shantaram Narayan, G. R. Kirloskar, Bhalchandra Krishna, M. C. Apte, and the Honorary Secretaries (Prof. J. T. Hathornthwaite, Mr. D. E. Wacha, and Mr. N. G. Chandavarkar). The Hon. Mr. Justice Telang was requested to take the chair. The chairman informed the committee that the amount already promised for the Wordsworth Memorial Fund came up to about Rs. 6,891. This sum did not include the subscriptions which had been subscribed in Poona. There was a feeling among the old Deccan College pupils of Mr. Principal Wordsworth that the committee should devote a portion of the funds to a memorial of the Professor at the Deccan College, with which he had been connected for several years. It was therefore resolved that there should be two portraits of Mr. Principal Wordsworth—one for the Elphinstone and the other for the Deccan College, and that the committee should hereafter consider what should be done with any residue that might be left after the portrait had been paid for. It was also resolved that Mr. Griffiths' terms offering to paint a portrait of Mr. Principal Wordsworth for Rs. 1,000, including the frame, should be accepted, and that as to the second portrait, Professor Hathornthwaite should be requested to communicate with Mr. Griffiths and ascertain on what reduced terms he would paint a replica. The Committee then dissolved.

THE BRITISH GOVERNMENT AND THE PADROAD.

THE *Anglo-Lusitano*, which, we have reason to believe is well informed, states that an answer has been received to the memorial addressed some months since to the British Government by the Bombay Catholic Union on the subject of Portuguese ecclesiastical jurisdiction in India. The journal in question gives the following account of the memorial and of the answer to it:—

The memorial of the Bombay Catholic Union after passing through the usual channels in this country, was in August last forwarded by the Government of India to Lord Cross, Secretary of State for India in order that, should His Lordship think fit, it might be submitted to Lord Salisbury. The memorial was addressed to Lord Salisbury, as Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, and not to the Secretary of State for India; but the Government of India forwarded it direct to the latter, observing that there was no precedent for the Government of India sending direct to the Foreign Office a memorial addressed by British subjects resident in India, to the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs. Lord Cross concurs with the remark of the Government of India, and adds that to this, as in all other matters the Secretary of State for India is the recognised representative of Her Majesty with reference to questions affecting the interests of British subjects in India. Lord Cross, therefore, having regard to all the circumstances, and as the memorial ought to have been addressed to him (if to any one, adds His Lordship) resolved not to transmit it to the Marquis of Salisbury. In regard to the questions raised in the memorial his Lordship desires that the memorialists should be informed that her Majesty's Government sees no reason to depart from the attitude of strict neutrality it has always maintained with reference to the ecclesiastical patronage which was the subject of the memorial.

As we stated last week the Secretary of State animadverts in severe terms on the conduct of Mr. A. S. Moriarty C. S. and Surgeon J. P. Barry in this matter. These gentlemen are Government servants, and also Joint Honorary Secretaries of the Bombay Catholic Union. As the object of their memorial was to induce the Government to depart from the attitude of

judicious course which they have adopted. Their example is, it seems to me, worthy of imitation, and will, I cannot help hoping, be followed in other states. The question is, however, one which does not rest with the Government of India, and all that I can do as the head of that Government is to express my admiration for the sagacity and moral courage of the authors of the movement, and my hope that they will not be allowed to stand alone in supporting it.

THE Meteorological Reporter to the Government of India has recorded his opinion that it is almost absolutely necessary for the warning of the Bengal and Madras coasts that a cable to the Andaman Islands should be laid, and he believes it to be almost essential to the proper and complete protection of the Burma coast. Observations from Port Blair, he says, would rarely give earlier information of the commencement of disturbed weather in the Bay than is shown by the present battery of stations round the Bay. They would, however, in the majority of cases, give earlier definite information of whether the storm in process of formation was a feeble or powerful one, or of small or large extent. They would also enable the probable path of the storm to be determined with greater certainty than can be done under the present arrangements. Telegraphic communication to Port Blair would tend to make the work of storm warning more exact and reliable, and enable the Meteorological Department to state with greater certainty than at present the probable path or intensity of storms approaching the Bengal and Madras coasts. It would also give certain and strong indications of the formation of storms in the Andaman Sea, and enable the department to warn the Burma coast more efficiently than at present.

THE rule for recovering advances made in England to officers returning from furlough, by five equal stoppages from the first six months' pay, has been modified by the Government of India, on the representation of the case of two junior medical officers at Madras who each received £100 advance and during the stoppages had only Rs. 37 balance to live on monthly. It is now decided that the controllers of military accounts shall be permitted to modify the practice of making recoveries from the pay of military and medical officers to such an extent as each case may seem to require. The monthly instalments in each case should, however, never be less than one-third of the officer's salary.

THE North-West Provinces Government, in reviewing the measures adopted during the scarcity in Garhwal and Kumaon last summer, states that the relief expenditure amounted to Rs. 1,85,000, of which only Rs. 37,000 was debited against Kumaon. It is estimated that all, except Rs. 10,000, will be recovered within the next eighteen months. In proof of the severity of the scarcity while it lasted, it is stated that in Garhwal one-fourth of the entire population were entirely dependent for four months on the grain received from the Government stores. A good harvest has since restored the people to their normal prosperity. The Lieutenant-Governor acknowledges the good services rendered by Colonel Erskine, Commissioner of Kumaon, and his district officers, Messrs. Giles, Campbell, Roberts and Agha Abutrab; by Mr. Holderness in purchasing and supplying grain; and by Mr. Bullock, Collector of Bijnor. There can be no doubt that the work of relief was admirably carried out from first to last.

MR. McHINCH was buried on Monday evening. The funeral procession was of immense length, hundreds of carriages forming part of it. Numerous natives of every class and caste along the route testified to their respect for the memory of the lamented gentleman. The Sind Volunteer Rifle Corps formed the carrying and firing party, and the Railway Volunteers and the Volunteer Naval Brigade were in attendance. Brigadier-General Boyce-Combe and other military and civil officers of the station followed the coffin on foot.

RAJA SIR T. MADAVA ROW, K.C.S.I., as we stated in our telegram yesterday, has written to M. R. Ry. Dewan Bahadur R. Ragoonath Row, Secretary, Indian Social Conference, Mylapore, Madras, as follows:—

Sir,—As I feel it desirable and necessary that my name should no longer be connected with the Indian Social Conference, I beg you will remove it from your lists from this day, and intimate the same to all concerned.

THE Chief Court of the Punjab have decided to try the Malikpur shooting case at Delhi, and Sir Mersdyth Plowden will come down here for the purpose next month; the 11th and two following days having been fixed for the trial.

THERE has been heavy rain and a thunderstorm at Lahore and at Murree, also twenty-four hours' rain and sleet with snow on the neighbouring hills.

A REMARKABLE decrease in crime has taken place in the southern division of Burma during the past twelve months. In Magwe and Myingyan there was not a single dacoity during the quarter ending 30th September, and in Magwe there was only one robbery. These figures show a reduction of 90 per cent. on the figures for the corresponding period of last year. Altogether in the southern division there were only 13 violent crimes against 122 last year and as compared with 42 during the preceding quarter.

A FRAUD on the Commissariat Department has been discovered at Rawalpindi. A cheque for Rs 1,100 has been issued by the Commissariat Account office, Rawalpindi, said to be in payment of the claim for security deposit of one Amar Nath Chowdry, Commissariat agent, payable at the Rawalpindi Post Office Savings Bank. Amar Nath denies any knowledge of payment, and the police are attempting to trace the swindler.

A MEETING was held at Benares on Tuesday, at the old Mint House, of the Benares branch of the Countess of Dufferin Association, at which were present His Highness the Maharaja of Benares, Mr. Adams, Commissioner, Mr. White, Collector, Dr. Hooper, Civil Surgeon, Mrs. Adams, Honorary Secretary, Raja Shambhu Narayan Singh, Raja Shiva Prasad, C.S.I., and others. In modification of the resolution passed at the meeting on the 14th October, it was resolved that the hospital should be called the "Ishwari Hospital." The Countess of Dufferin Association accounts, up to the 20th November, showing receipts of Rs. 25,968, and expenditure of Rs. 25,552, were also laid before the meeting and accepted.

ON Sunday evening Mr. Justice Syed Ikbal Ali invited Mr. Caine to dinner at the Nizam Club, Hyderabad. Among those present were Messrs. Hafiz Ahmad Raza, Syed Ikbal Ali, Swann, M. P., Hoosein Ata Ullah, Mazharullah Mushiuddin, B. H. Syed Jafar Hossein, and Nawabs Intisar Jung, Fateh Nawaz Jung, Imad Jung, and Rasfat Yat Jung and others. In proposing the toast of "The Guest of the evening," Hafiz Ahmad Raza Khan said that Mr. Caine's efforts were particularly grateful to the Mahomedans, as he was only trying to enforce what the inspired Lawgiver of Arabia, their blessed Prophet, ordained thirteen centuries ago. Mr. Hafiz further recited the verse of the holy Koran which says that the evils of wine are certainly greater than its supposed benefits. In reply Mr. Caine's speech lasted for about an hour. He began by regretting that he could not speak to the assembly in their own language. He congratulated the club on excluding wine from its precincts, and dwelt at considerable length on the progress which temperance has made in various parts of the world, especially in Canada and the United States of America. He also severely criticised the immorality of making revenue from the debased desires of the populace.

BY the end of the present year, writes a contemporary the Government of Pondicherry is to lose three more of its chief officials, which will make twelve changes during the twelve months, seven of which have been caused by death. His Excellency Monsieur Nouet is expected to leave India for Martinique by the Messageries Maritimes steamer at the end of December, and it is reported that Monsieur Mathivet, the Directeur de l'Interieur, is likely to be transferred to some other colony at about the same time, while Monsieur A. Pierre, the Procureur de la Republique, takes his departure by the next French mail steamer due about Sunday next. Monsieur Clement Thomas, the Governor-elect, will probably arrive at Pondicherry by the next January steamers Marechimers steamer. Monsieur Daclin Sibour has been named as the probable next Director of the Interior. He was formerly Secretary General, and acted for a time as Director of the Interior. Monsieur Auber has already been gazetted as Procureur de la Republique. The Commandant and the Chef du Service de Sante have also both been changed during the year, so that omitting the Chief Engineer of the colony and the Chief Commissary of Police, and excluding the junior judges and magistrates, all the principal officers of the administration will have been changed during the year 1890.

ACCORDING to *Truth's* sporting correspondent, Prince Soltykoff has sold Mephisto to Count Lehndorff for four thousand guineas. This horse, who is by Robert the Devil out of Meg Merrilies, has been known as one of the most speedy animals in training for the last four years. Mephisto ran third in Ormonde's Two Thousand, and he has lasted on the turf for a much longer time than any of his contemporaries, or, it may be added, than nine horses out of ten.

M. MARIUS POULEZ, formerly one of the best known of the French deputies, and always a very eccentric politician, has now been declared mad and sent to the madhouse. One of his favourite manœuvres of late was to enter a *café*, and, having attracted a crowd, to divest himself of coat and waistcoat and offer to fight the best six men present. His extraordinary behaviour had made him the jest of all his neighbours, who appear to have been ignorant that he was decidedly insane.

HIGH COURT.—APPELLATE SIDE.

(Before the Hon. Mr. Justice BIRDWOOD and the Hon. Mr. Justice PARSONS.)

ILLEGAL PROCEEDINGS IN A MURDER CASE.

IMPERATRIX *vs.* BASTIANO BIN ALEX SILVA.

THIS was an appeal by the Government of Bombay against an order of acquittal, passed on the 8th May 1890 by Mr. A. H. Unwin, Sessions Judge of Kanara. Mr. Shamrao Vithal appeared for the accused; and the Government Pleader, for the Crown.

It appeared that the accused, a police constable, was charged with the offence of murder and of causing death by negligence. His wife, Jebel, used to come and stay at intervals in his room in the Karwar police lines. On the 17th April last, a short time previously to her death, the deceased was seen lying on the floor of her room in the lines, the door of which was open. The accused was then sitting with a comrade hard by. He rose and left the place, and a few minutes later a shot was heard, whereupon his brother constables living in the same block, rushed instantly to his room, whence the report of the gun was heard to proceed. They found the accused, pale and trembling, about to issue from his room, the door of which he opened from the inside. The corpse of the deceased was observed lying precisely in the same position as that in which she had been previously lying. There was a bullet wound in her right breast so fresh that, round the hole where the ball had entered, the sarree was actually on fire. Close by the corpse lay the accused's gun recently discharged. It was urged for the Crown that the Sessions Judge, having found it proved that the deceased was shot dead whilst lying on the floor of the accused's room; that the shot was not fired by herself; and that it was fired by the accused, the Sessions Judge ought not to have acquitted the accused. His reason for acquitting, being merely that there was no eyewitness, was bad in law and contrary to approved practice. The Sessions Judge failed to give effect to the evidence of motive arising from a suspicion of infidelity.

Mr. Justice Birdwood, in delivering the judgment of the Court, said: We are of opinion that the order of acquittal must be reversed and the accused re-tried. After the accused had claimed to be tried, the Sessions Judge chose two assessors. The record shows that, as one of them was suffering from fever, the Sessions Judge at once dispensed with his attendance and proceeded with the trial with the aid of the other only. This procedure was clearly opposed to sections 284 and 285 of the Code of Criminal Procedure. It cannot be said that, in this case, the assessor, who was suffering from fever, was prevented in "the course of" the trial from attending throughout it; for his attendance was dispensed with before the commencement of the trial with the aid of assessors. It is only when proceedings are commenced at which the assessors can give their aid, that the trial with their aid, as contemplated in sections 268 and 284, can be said to have commenced. As the assessors are chosen under section 272, only if the accused has refused to, or does not, plead to the charge, or claims to be tried, it is clear that in a court of session, the trial "with the aid of assessors" does not commence with the reading of the charge. When the Sessions Judge found that one of the assessors chosen by him could not attend at the trial, he clearly ought, in compliance with section 284, to have chosen another in his place. We set aside the proceedings of the Sessions Judge as illegal; and direct that the accused Bastiana be re-tried by the Court of Session. As the present Sessions Judge has already expressed an opinion on the merits of the case, we think it desirable that the accused should be re-tried before another Sessions Judge. As it is understood that a special joint sessions judge is to be appointed to try certain cases at Karwar, Government will be moved to allow the Joint Sessions Judge deputed for that purpose to try this case also.

AN ORDER FOR MAINTENANCE.

BAKU *vs.* MAHADU WALAD SADASHIV.

This was an application for the exercise of the High Court's revisional jurisdiction. Mr. S. V. Bhandarkar appeared for the petitioner, Mahadu Walad Sadashiv, wife Mr. D. A. Khare appeared for Baku, wife of the petitioner.

Mr. Bhandarker applied for a revision of the order passed on the 29th September 1890 by Mr. A. M. Jackson, first-class Magistrate of Nassik, granting Baku a warrant for execution of the order for her maintenance from 19th August 1889 to 19th May 1890 at the rate of four rupees per month. It appeared that Baku had applied for her maintenance to a magistrate of the first class at Vinchur. The Magistrate on the 19th September 1892 made an award of four rupees per month for her and her daughter of five years of age. Baku subsequently brought a civil suit in the Court of the Chief of Vinchur for arrears of maintenance prior to the date of the Magistrate's order and for a residence. The Civil Court, on an issue raised for trial, found that Baku had been leading an immoral life both prior and subsequently to the date of the magistrate's order, and so rejected the claim on the 16th January 1888. Baku thereupon applied to the magistrate for the enforcement of his order. The petitioner pleaded that the Civil Court having found that she had been leading an immoral life, she was no longer entitled to any maintenance under the provisions of section 488 of the Criminal Procedure Code, and that the amount of maintenance should be reduced. The petitioner, in support of his plea, put in the judgment of the Civil Court. The Magistrate, Mr Jackson, however, held that the judgment was not admissible in evidence; and thus, overruling the plea, he issued a warrant for the enforcement of the order for maintenance. The petitioner thereupon appealed to the High Court.

Their lordships, after hearing the pleader for the petitioner, held that the judgment was not admissible, and rejected the petition.

THE DECCAN ICE COMPANY.

THE eighth ordinary general meeting of shareholders of the company was held yesterday at the registered office, Bell Lane. In the absence of Mr. Raghunath N. Khote, C. I. E., the chairman of the board of directors, Mr. Merwanjee Sorabjee Jamsotjee was called to the chair. The following report of the directors was submitted to the meeting:—

The Board of Directors now beg to submit their report with the audited accounts for the year ended 30th September 1890. The amount shown at credit of profit and loss account is Rs. 4,263-9-4 against Rs. 3,892-10 for the previous year. The result, however, the Directors regret to say, cannot be considered satisfactory. The machine at Poona has worked very badly during the year, and considerable expense has been incurred in rectifying defects from time to time. Although several changes were made in the engineering staff, the machine was found to be losing an unusually large quantity of ether, and great difficulty was experienced in detecting the cause. Arrangements have now been made to have the whole machinery thoroughly overhauled during the coming cold season. Some parts will have to be renewed, and this work is already in hand. The principal cause, however, of the poor result is the decrease in sales both at Poona and Hyderabad, owing to the unusual cool weather that prevailed during the months of April, May and June. Moreover, owing to competition at Hyderabad, the price of ice had to be reduced from 6 to 5 annas per lb., thereby considerably reducing profits. The 5-ton machine at Hyderabad is working very satisfactorily, and a considerable saving in fuel has been effected. Debentures to the amount of Rs. 30,000, bearing interest at 8 per cent. per annum, have been delivered to the Bombay Ice Manufacturing Company, Limited, in payment of the Hyderabad machine. Other two debentures of Rs. 1,000 each have been issued to the public. The interest on these has been paid up to the 31st August last and is charged to profit and loss account. The Directors desire to place on record their thanks to the Government of H. H. the Nizam for their concession in permitting the five-ton machine to to be imported into Hyderabad territory free of duty. The board recommend that the balance of profit and loss account be apportioned as follows:—In reduction of preliminary charges, Rs. 500; in reduction of expenses in connection with the issue of debentures, Rs. 500; addition to depreciation and renewal fund, Rs. 3,000; to be carried forward to next year's account, Rs. 263-9-4; total Rs. 4,263-9-4. The retiring directors are Messrs. Byramjee Jeejeebhoy and M. S. Jamsetjee, who are eligible for re-election.

The Directors' report and audited accounts were approved, adopted, and confirmed. The retiring directors, Mr. Byramjee Jeejibhoy and Mr. Merwanjee Sorabjee Jamsetjee, were elected. Mr. Raghunath N. Khote was re-elected chairman of the board of directors. The appointment made by the board of Mr. Hugh S. Symons as auditor in the place of Mr. N. S. Symons, absent from Bombay, was approved and confirmed. Mr. N. S. Symons and Mr. Nusserwanjee Sorabjee Jamsetjee were re-appointed auditors on a remuneration of Rs. 50 each. The thanks of the shareholders were accorded to the chairman, directors, and secretaries and managers, for their management of the business during the past year. The usual compliments to the chairman terminated the proceedings.

HOMELESS LEPERS' RELIEF FUND.

THE following additional subscription has been promised (twenty-eighth list):—

	Rs.	as
Mr. M. M. Bhavnagri, C. I. E.	125	0
Total..... Rs.	125	0
Subscriptions already promised ..... Rs.	69,677	3
Grand Total..... Rs.	69,802	3

Subscribers are requested to pay the amount of their subscriptions into the Bank of Bombay.

H. A. ACWORTH,
R. M. SAYANI,
HARKISSONDAS NARROTOMDAS,
Honorary Secretaries and Treasurers.

Bombay, 28th November, 1890.

THE total number of deaths registered during the week ending 15th November in Calcutta was 230 against 203 and 214 in the two preceding weeks, and lower than the corresponding week of last year by 33. There were 11 deaths from cholera, against 2 and 3 in the two preceding weeks; the number being lower than the average of the past quinquennium by 51; no deaths from small-pox during the week; and 5 deaths from tetanus, against 11 in the previous week. The mortality from fevers and bowel complaints amounted to 89 and 30 respectively, against 93 and 28 in the preceding week. The general death-rate of the week was 27·7 per mille per annum, against 32·0, the mean of the last five years.

ALL those who appreciate Lily-White Teeth Purity of the Mouth, and a Breath of Flowers, should use Kemp & Co.'s FLORAL MOUTH ELIXIR, which is both a perfect dentifrice and at the same time a delicious Mouth-Wash. Per bottle, Rs. 1-4 and Rs. 2-4.

MILITARY NEWS.

THE Government of India have requested that it may be pointed out to medical officers that it is beyond the scope of Medical Boards to make any recommendation for the renewal of a wound pension in the case of an officer.

THE temporary would pension of £70 a year granted to Lieutenant T. L. Coxhead, Royal Artillery, has been continued for another year.

THE following is the latest order on the issue of last pay certificates to officers, but it does not meet the objections raised in these columns a few months ago, not does it provide for the sudden move of an officer in an emergency when there is neither time for him to apply to the Treasury Officer or to the Pay Examiner of the circle in which he resides:—'An officer transferred to another Military Account circle will obtain a last pay certificate from the treasury officer, and forward it, with the pay warrant in his possession, to the Pay Examiner of the circle in which he is leaving, who will forward a last pay certificate (M. A. Form 133), prepared in his own office to the Pay Examiner of the circle to which the officer is transferred in view to the issue of a fresh warrant; or, if he has been reverted to regimental duty, to the corps which he may have been directed to join. An officer transferred to another station or reverting to a corps in the Bombay circle will similarly obtain a last pay certificate from the treasury officer, and forward it, with the pay warrant in his possession, to the Pay Examiner by whom a last pay certificate (M. A. Form 133) will be issued to enable him to obtain future pay from the Presidency Paymaster, Bombay, or his corps, as the case may be."

His Highness the Khedive of Egypt has signified a desire to confer the bronze star upon the troops engaged in the operations near Gakaim in 1888, and on the Nile in 1889, and Her Majesty the Queen-Empress has been graciously pleased to assent to the proposal, and an army order has been issued to the effect that the decoration may be accepted and worn by those entitled to it. The star will be of a pattern similar to that granted for the previous Egyptian campaigns, but without a date. Those whose names are included in medal rolls furnished on or previous instructions, and who have not been already awarded a star for former campaigns, are entitled to the star now granted, and issues will be made accordingly.

THE NATIVE PRESS.

SALARIES OF PRESIDENCY MAGISTRATES.

THE *Dinbandhu* says:—We understand that it has been finally settled to appoint a fourth Magistrate on a salary of Rs. 600, who will sit with the second Magistrate at Byculla and it is proposed to reduce the salary of the third Magistrate to Rs. 700. We consider these salaries to be quite inadequate having regard to the enormous powers the Presidency Magistrates are endowed with and to the difficulty of getting eligible men to take up such responsible work. If the idea is to make a distribution of work and to allot petty cases only to these Magistrates then we think that we could effect a saving without interfering with the efficiency of the present Bench. We might safely reduce the pay of one Presidency Magistrate and leave the subordinate Magistrates on Rs. 400 a month to dispose of petty work. As we have already said before, two Presidency Magistrates would be ample for dealing with real crime under the Penal Code. What at present takes up the time of these highly paid magistrates are the petty cases under local acts.

The *Rast Goftar* remarks:—If the criminal jurisdiciton of the third and fourth magistrates were made interior to that of the first two magistrates, they would have so much less responsibility and consequently their pay need not at all be so high as that of the magistrates exercising a higher jurisdiction. But it would be equally mischievous to reduce the powers and responsibilities of, at least, the present three incumbents in the office. It is absolutely necessary, however, that a fourth magistrate should be appointed, in order to meet the growing wants of this ever-expanding city.

The *Kaiser-i-Hind* says:—If the Bombay Government cannot appoint a fourth magistrate, and thereby falicitate the administration of justice to the inhabitants of Bombay, it were better that the appointment were not made rather than that the salaries of the other appointments above it should be reduced. That step would be improper and derogatory to the Government itself; and should never be taken. Disappointed by the answer of the Municipal Corporation, refusing to pay a pie towards the salary of a fourth magistrate, the Government has thought of an objectionable expedient to reduce the salaries of the other presidency magistrates. The only delay appears to be to obtain the sanction of the Supreme Government to the proposal. We hope the sanction to the mistaken and crooked course intended to be taken by the Bombay Government will be withheld. If the salaries of the magistrates were reduced, the prestige of the appointments would undoubtedly suffer in the eyes of the public, and no competent or worthy persons would be found willing to fill them. The loss therefrom to the administration of justice would be great. If the reductions would be a gain to Government, they would nevertheless be a great loss to the public, and the public voice should be raised to frustrate and contemplated measure. The reductions already made on the recommendation of the Finance Committee have been ample enough; they were fair and were not objected to; but any further reductions would be a serious blunder on the part of Government. Cheap imitations from the cast-off tinsel of the world place on the bench of the presidency magistrates' courts. We wonder how such a wrong course suggested itself to Lord Harris or to his judicial Councillor, Sir Raymond West. The modest request of the Bombay Government to the Municipal Corporation, says the *Jam-e-Jamshed*, to provide for the salary of a fourth presidency magistrate, having been quite properly negatived, the local Government have asked the sanction of the Government of India to their proposal to reduce the salaries of the three presidency magistrates of Bombay, so as to provide Rs. 500 a month for the salary of a fourth magistrate. It is perplexing to think how such an idea could have originated with the Bombay Government, if such a proposal has been made, there is no hope of its receiving the sanction of the Government of India. The already reduced salaries of presidency magistrates cannot bear any further reduction. In the interest of the public, these salaries should be sufficiently high to attract men of position and ability to the posts. In the face of the increased revenue of the police courts, it is false economy to make a reduction in the salaries of the magistrates. A fourth magistrate is required; he should be a fit native gentleman, and no other; and it is the duty of Government to provide Rs. 500 for his salary out of the Government treasury.

ONE VIEW OF THE WITU EXPEDITION.

As at present reported, writes the *Daily News*, at Witu, in the territory of the British East Africa Company, stands greatly in need of explanation. There is no doubt that an offence had been committed by the Sultan of Witu or some of his subjects, and that there was every reason for the English officials to make all possible inquiry into the murder of Herr Kuentzel and his companions. But the murder itself is still in the position established this agreement, the ground for thinking that Herr Kuentzel was largely to blame for what occurred. In fact, that is the view taken of the matter by Herr Michahelles, the German Consul General at Zanzibar, whose information was derived from one Menschell, himself a survivor of the massacre. Menschells opinion of the extreme provocation offered by Herr Kuentzel is corroborated by Herr Toeppen, the German agent at Lamu, and the Sultan himself has put forward this plea in a letter to Mr. Piggot, the English agent at the same place. In face of this conflicting evidence the British authorities summoned the Sultan to appear before them and deliver up the murderers of the Germans. The Sultan refused, and Admiral Fremantle at once proceeded, according to a telegram of October 26, to burn down several villages on the coast. The full extent of the reprisal is now published. The Sultan's town was utterly destroyed and eighty or ninety of his people are reported killed, without a life lost or a serious wound received by the English force. The strength of our expedition was clearly overwhelming, and the capture of Witu was effected without difficulty. It remains for those who were responsible for these extreme measures to make two points very clear. They must prove that before burning indiscriminately the dwellings of a large population they used all the means in their power to fix the guilt on the shoulders of the actual murderers. And they must prove also that he extenuating evidence already given in abundance by European witnesses was duly considered before this sweeping revenge was taken on the whole people of Witu. Where the disproportion of force was so extremely great as is here indicated by a comparison of the casualties on both sides, reasonable and humane Englishmen will refuse to look upon the expedition as anything but an act of police, which should have been performed with some carefulness of life and some nicety in the infliction of punishment upon the really guilty. At present there is nothing to satisfy them on these points, and we trust that the fullest information will be insisted upon. As the affair now stands it looks like a very hasty and reckless act of reprisal, prompted but certainly not justified by an extravagant conception of the demands of international politeness towards the Germans.

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THE STANLEY-BARTTELOT CONTROVERSY.

MR. HENRY M. STANLEY was seen at the Everett House, New York on November 6th, by a correspondent of the *Times*, to whom he dictated the following signed statement:—

"You must expect such attacks has have been made upon me, and many more like them, because I know from conversations that I have had with the survivors of the rear column of the Emin Pacha Relief Expedition that they are all very sore at the references I have made to them in my book and in my letters and official reports. The book which Mr. Walter Barttelot has just published begins by showing this feeling, and what he says is in no wise different from what others say.

MR. BARTTELOT'S TEXT.

"On the second page of the introductory chapter of his recently published book, Mr. Barttelot says:—'Mr. Stanley has said that the rear column was wrecked by the irresolution of the officers, by the neglect of promises, and the indifference to orders. To a soldier of the Queen and a gentleman this is a serious accusation, and should not be allowed to pass.' That sentence is what the whole book turns upon, and it is the cause of the very existence of the book.

"The sentence of my report with which Mr. Barttelot finds fault, and in which I censured the commander of the rear column, was written in August, 1888, two days after I had met Mr. Bonny and the emaciated remnant of the rear column. It was written when I had found 102 men alive out of 227, and only one living English officer out of five. On learning then the details of what had transpired during my absence, I wrote that the irresolution of the officers, the neglect of their promises, and their indifference to the written orders I gave them had caused this woful collapse.

You ask me to justify that censure, which has been the cause of Mr. Barttelot's book. It is a very serious business, though I can quite understand that people should be answered, as I now propose to answer it, in order to ascertain the truth. It is absolutely immaterial to me what views the officers of the rear-guard will take of this censure. As I had enlisted all these people as my officers, and it was only to me that they owed loyalty and obedience according to their contracts, I alone am justified in reserving the right to condemn or award praise. At the same time everybody is at liberty to express his or her views on the conduct of these officers, but none could possibly have the same interest that I have to forget a good many offences and to gloss over many things in order to avoid scandal.

THE STORY OF THE COLUMN.

It will probably be the best way, in order to satisfy any legitimate interest in this question, to tell the story of the rear column as I heard it at Yambuya, because in that way the public will better understand the shocking effect it had on me. When hastening to the relief I was met by the following revelations—and here comes the point. You will find in the log of my book "In Darkest Africa," even in its abridged form, that the men of rear column came forward to present their complaint, and much of the following information I obtained from Mr. Bonny, the Zanzibaris, the Arabs, and the Manyema. Now first as to Barttelot himself. In this book of the Diaries of Major Barttelot, at page 169, and under date of November 24, 1887, you will find the following entry made by that officer: 'Bonny and I talked about our probable action in the event of Stanley doing certain things. I expressed myself openly.' At page 170, under date of December 6, Major Barttelot states: 'After dinner Bonny and I walked again, and referred to our conversation of November 24. I made a determination never to partake of Stanley's hospitality while out here, as we have a private medicine chest. Jameson, in reference to our conversation of November 24, expressed his determination to act as I should, also to refuse Stanley's hospitality. When these statements in the diary were read by me when given me by Mr. Bonny, I could not help wondering what all this meant, and I asked Mr. Bonny to be frank and say what it all meant. He replied: 'Well, Sir, Major Barttelot said that you were a Pritchard, a poisoner, and that one of your ways was to leave Africa alone, so that no one would know what had transpired; and he, Barttelot, said that he had heard the story as to your leaving an officer in some part of Africa, and never going back for him.

ALLEGED STRANGE CONDUCT OF MAJOR BARTTELOT.

This will give a little insight into the state of the feelings of Major Barttelot and of Mr. Jameson. To clearly comprehend what was hinted at in these words it must be understood that they had picked up a skit from some irresponsible newspaper to the effect that it was odd Stanley had never returned from Africa except alone. I was told that Major Barttelot had expressed great curiosity to learn the probable effect of a dose of cyanide of potassium, and at one time was caught testing it on his tongue in order to ascertain whether its taste would be likely to be detected in a cup of coffee. I was at the same time told that the person for whom this dose was intended was Selim Mahammed, the nephew of Tippoo Tib. I was also told that Major Barttelot's life was saved twice by Mr. Bonny, once when Major Barttelot had suddenly seized a woman and fastened his teeth in her shoulder. I was told that frequently Major Barttelot would cause his black followers to shrink from before him by standing in their path in front of the advancing natives, and grinning like a fiend—that is the expression that was used. I was told that he had run about the camp prodding his people with a steel-pointed cypress staff, and then flourishing the stick and hitting about him indiscriminately. And all this without apparent cause. Uledi Asuyema chief, a comrade of the man Sanga, reported to me that he had been prodded seventeen times in one day, only a day or two before the Major was killed by Sanga.

The little boy Sendy, whose death I have reported in "Darkest Africa," was a little fellow ten years old, and of him Major Barttelot says in his book, in a general way, that he was 'a clever little fellow,' while I have described him in my book as 'a wise-headed little fellow.' Barttelot irritated with little Sendy one morning, gave him a kick with his heavy boot, and from the effects of that kick the boy died.

John Henry, a mission lad, was flogged with 300 lashes and died soon after.

EXCESSIVE PUNISHMENT OF SOLDIERS.

Soudanese soldier, who had been placed on guard while he was suffering from the tortures of hunger, stole a piece of the meat of a goat, for which he was flogged with 150 lashes. He was sentenced to receive 300; but, as he could not stand more than 150, they left off for him to recover, with the threat that he would receive the other 150 as soon as he was in fit condition to stand them. In the meantime he was put under guard, and one night he broke away, took his rifle, and ran into the bush. A search was made for him, and within a day or so he was caught, tried by a court-martial consisting of the officers of the rear guard, and sentenced to be shot. As has been already stated, the sentence was duly carried into execution.

Two soldiers who had received 200 lashes each were in a pitiable condition when I arrived at Yambuya, and upon an examination of their bodies I found an ulcer in the backs of each of them varying from four to seven inches in diameter. One of these ulcers was three-quarters of an inch deep and was infested with maggots. These two men died there, and among six Zanzibari there was scarcely one who had not been subjected to this system of torture, also for thinking that Herr Kuentzel was largely to blame for what occurred. In fact, that is the view taken of the matter by Herr Michahelles, the German Consul General at Zanzibar, whose information was derived from one Menschell, himself a survivor of the massacre. Menschells opinion of the extreme provocation offered by Herr Kuentzel is corroborated by Herr Toeppen, the German agent at Lamu, and the Sultan himself has put forward this plea in a letter to Mr. Piggot, the English agent at the same place. In face of this conflicting evidence the British authorities summoned the Sultan to appear before them and deliver up the murderers of the Germans. The Sultan refused, and Admiral Fremantle at once proceeded, according to a telegram of October 26, to burn down several villages on the coast. The full extent of the reprisal is now published. The Sultan's town was utterly destroyed and eighty or ninety of his people are reported killed, without a life lost or a serious wound received by the English force. The strength of our expedition was clearly overwhelming, and the capture of Witu was effected without difficulty. It remains for those who were responsible for these extreme measures to make two points very clear. They must prove that before burning indiscriminately the dwellings of a large population they used all the means in their power to fix the guilt on the shoulders of the actual murderers. And they must prove also that he extenuating evidence already given in abundance by European witnesses was duly considered before this sweeping revenge was taken on the whole people of Witu. Where the disproportion of force was so extremely great as is here indicated by a comparison of the casualties on both sides, reasonable and humane Englishmen will refuse to look upon the expedition as anything but an act of police, which should have been performed with some carefulness of life and some nicety in the infliction of punishment upon the really guilty. At present there is nothing to satisfy them on these points, and we trust that the fullest information will be insisted upon. As the affair now stands it looks like a very hasty and reckless act of reprisal, prompted but certainly not justified by an extravagant conception of the demands of international politeness towards the Germans.

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A SPLIT IN CAMP.

"I was told that there were two parties in the camp of the rear column; Major Barttelot and Mr. Jameson comprising one party, and Mr. Ward, Mr. Bonny, and Lieutenant Troup comprising the other. I am told that when Mr. Jameson approved of all the acts of which Major Barttelot has been guilty, he was too canny to say much, but I was told by another man that Jameson had said in confidence to him that there were many things done by Major Barttelot which did not meet with his approbation.

There will be found in Major Barttelot's letter to the Emin Pacha Relief Committee a statement to the effect that he meant to relieve himself of Ward, owing to his having been obliged to suspend him. Major Barttelot alleged that Mr. Ward was in the habit of abstracting brass rods from the camp stores, and he had actually sent a courier, it was said, with a letter to Mr. Ward, directing him to render a strict account.

Major Barttelot's proceeding with reference to this incident will be found in Mr. Jameson's letter under date August 12, 1888, published in "Darkest Africa."

"A good deal of ill-feeling, it is said, was excited in the camp, especially in the mind of Mr. Jameson, by Mr. Ward and Lieutenant Troup having unscrewed Mr. Jameson's box with a view to find out whether or not there were concealed there some provisions that were missing from the camp. A bill also was sent from Banya Station to Major Barttelot for 3,000 brass rods which it was stated Mr. Ward had received. I am told that Mr. Troup applied to Major Barttelot for medicine while he was ill, and that Major Barttelot refused it. There were also frequent quarrels in the camp on account of expostulations from Mr. Bonny, and Major Barttelot even went so far as to order the Soudanese guard to arrest him.

THE LOG-BOOK.

In the log-book, which is signed by all, there are records of each day's proceedings, and of how the people had been persistently ill-treated and flogged. Major Barttelot had brought four slave chains from Tippoo Tib for £48, for the purpose, it was believed, for putting the people in irons, and I was told that he, Major Barttelot, confessed to Mr. Bonny that many things had been done at Yambuya which, if they were known in England, would call for his instant dismissal from the service. In reply to this Mr. Bonny asked, 'Why then commit these things when you know that it will disgrace you?'

At one time Major Barttelot got into such a crazed condition of mind that he asked to retire from the expedition, and he asked Mr. Bonny for a medical certificate, saying as he did so: 'Don't you think I am sick enough to go home?'

THE DEATH OF MAJOR BARTTELOT.

Coming now to the day of the tragedy when Major Barttelot was killed, it is necessary to say that Major Barttelot had kept the camp in a state of uproar every hour from July 17 to July 19. Things went on well during his absence at Stanley Falls, but as soon as he returned all good feeling disappeared. He first fastened a quarrel on an Arab who owned a station at Banalya by demanding from him sixty slaves. In the log-book I have revised the word 'slaves' and substituted the word 'carriers.' The Arab answered that such a large body of whites coming had frightened the blacks away, and they had disappeared from the neighbourhood; hence it was impossible to get any slaves. Barttelot insis

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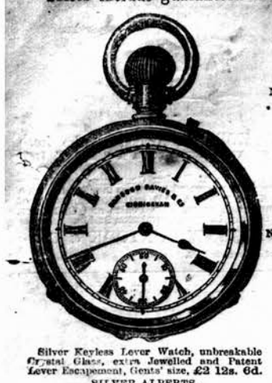

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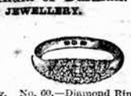

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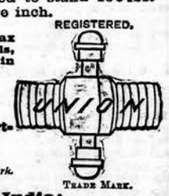

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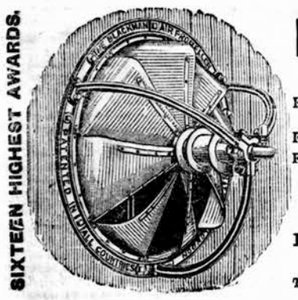

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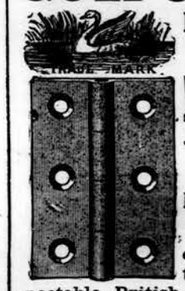

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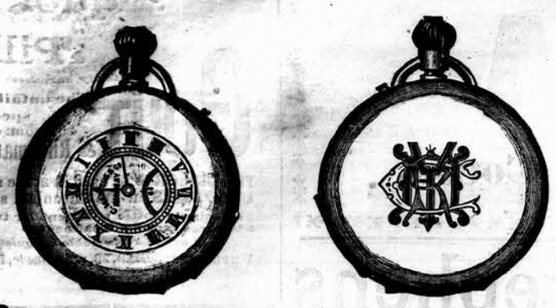

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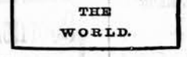

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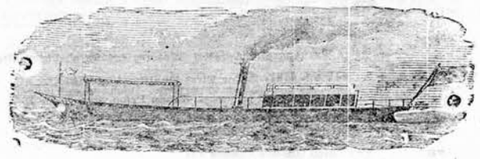

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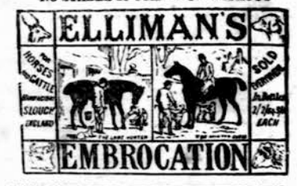

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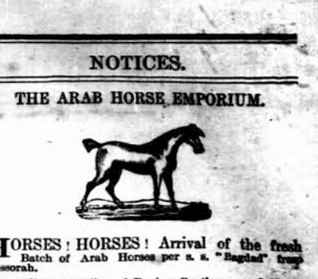

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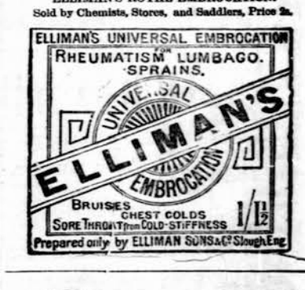

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